

REPORT PRESIDENT IMPROVED

A. W. LUCAS IS LAID TO REST WITH TRIBUTE

City Auditorium Is Filled with Sorrowing Townsmen Paying Their Tribute

EULOGY IS DELIVERED

Deceased Had Accomplished Great Good in His Life, Mr. Cameron Said

Arthur W. Lucas, one of Bismarck's foremost citizens, was laid to rest yesterday afternoon in St. Mary's cemetery after one of the most impressive tributes ever paid the memory of a citizen of the city. Nearly 2,000 people joined in the solemn services conducted in the City Auditorium in honor of the deceased, who passed away in a hotel in Chicago Friday night. Business was suspended in the city during the services in accordance with Mayor Lenhart's proclamation.

Services were in charge of the Elks lodge, of which Mr. Lucas was an active member. Just before 2:30 o'clock a solemn procession headed by the Elks band with members of the lodge escorting the body, moved from the undertaking parlors to the auditorium, the band playing a funeral dirge as the procession wound its way through the streets of the city which Mr. Lucas had served so long in official capacity. Pall-bearers were S. W. Derrick, E. A. Hughes, William O'Hara, Dr. M. W. Roan, P. R. Fields and H. T. Murphy.

The bier was heaped with floral tributes from organizations, employers, relatives and friends, and the whole platform of the auditorium contained the many floral offerings which came from within and without the city. Members of the Elks lodge marched into the auditorium in a body and remained standing until Alex. Rosen, exalted ruler of Bismarck lodge No. 1199, bade them be seated. The auditorium upstairs and down, was filled with people, all of whom had at one time or another known the smiling greeting of Mr. Lucas.

Elks Give Service. Mr. Rosen presided at the ritualistic service which was conducted, with members in the chairs of the lodge as follows: Esteemed Leading Knight, Robert Webb; Esteemed Loyal Knight, George V. Mann; Esteemed Lecturing Knight, A. P. Lenhart; Chaplain, I. C. Davies; Esquire, J. L. Kelley. L. K. Thompson, secretary of the lodge called the name of the absent brother. Members of the city commission occupied seats on the platform.

Scott Cameron, delivering the eulogy, paid a fine tribute to the life and work of Mr. Lucas. Although he had not lived the expected three score and ten, he had in the time allotted him on earth by the Creator accomplished far more than most of us could hope to accomplish if we lived far beyond his age. Mr. Cameron said. He reviewed the rise of Mr. Lucas to a successful business man through his own efforts, his unflinching interest in the welfare of his community and his whole-souled generosity.

Praised for Civic Interest. Much of the praise is bestowed upon the city of Bismarck as a beautiful city may be traced to Mr. Lucas' work as a member and president of the city commission, Mr. Cameron said. He referred to the paving program as one of the accomplishments of the deceased. Though Mr. Lucas must have suffered the vicissitudes which affect everyone, yet he always kept such troubles to himself and presented to his friends and acquaintances a hearty smile and cheery word of greeting. Mr. Lucas, he said, was generous to a fault—no worthy charity had ever been brought to his attention that he was not willing to aid, even beyond the measure of his ability, and no good cause ever arose that he did not willingly seek to do more than his part to further it.

The respect and admiration of his employees itself was a tribute of which any man might well be proud, he said.

Lost Good Citizen. Bismarck, Mr. Cameron said, had lost one of its first citizens. In the time of bereavement of members of the family and the sorrowings of friends, the only consolation that might be offered, he said, was that in his span of life the deceased had done so much for the good of others and had well earned the judgment of "Well Done, Thou Good and Faithful Servant."

As the concluding part of the Elks ritual officers of the lodge passed the bier, each testifying to the sterling qualities of the deceased and dropping on it bits of amaranth and ivy, twin symbols of their tribute.

Mrs. John A. Graham sang "Sweetly Solemn Thought" and "Abide With Me," with Mrs. Arthur Bauer as accompanist, and Henry Halverson sang "Our Absent Brother."

A long cavalcade of automobiles moved slowly from the city auditorium and wound up the slopes of the road leading into the silent city on the hill, St. Mary's cemetery, and paused at the catwalks heaped with flowers and surrounded by reverent mourners. While a caressing wind flung itself across the hill-top and a benignant sun paused behind heavy clouds.

HI JOHNSON BACK FOR THE FRAY



Hiram Johnson, California senator, as he stepped ashore from the Leviathan in New York where a great demonstration was held for him as a possible candidate for the presidency. The police sergeant is just helping him step from the tug.

BOYS, GIRLS MAKING FINE PROGRESS IN CITY BAND; SUPPORT ASKED FOR BENEFIT TO KEEP GOOD WORK GOING

Director Sorlein Is Enthusiastic Over the Constant Attendance of the Boys and Girls Even During Hot Weather, and Declares That Already They Could Give a Short Concert

"After but six weeks of training the juvenile band could give a short concert and make a creditable showing," said L. G. Sorlein, director of the band today.

"The members of the band are already playing marches and waltzes," declared Mr. Sorlein. "At the rate of speed at which the children have already progressed, they will be prepared to give an unusually good concert by fall."

As a benefit entertainment to pay for some of the larger instruments to be used by this juvenile band the North-Western Glee club will appear in concert at the Auditorium August 7. A popular price has been placed on the seats for the occasion with a view to allowing everybody in Bismarck to enjoy the concert which is announced by the thousands who have heard the Glee club as one of the best in the country.

At the rate of progress which the Boys and Girls band is progressing, it is only a matter of a short time until they will be able to give some really excellent concerts that will furnish entertainment for the entire city upon every occasion.

Need Instruments. For the past six weeks fifty children have attended the meetings of the band regularly, five times a week. About ten of that number, however, have been without instruments—for the larger instruments which the Association of Commerce has promised to furnish and several of the smaller instruments which individuals ordered when these were sent for on June 26 have not yet arrived. Of the fifty children composing the band, which is made up of children between the ages of 8 to 16 with 12 as an average, twelve are girls. A total registration of 85 boys and girls are on the books of the band master, but thirty-five have decided not to enter the band until fall. A number are out of town and a number are working during the summer months.

Registration for fall work will begin August 25 when a new class for beginners will be started. The members of the present band will form the membership of an advanced class. Every morning from 9:30 to 11:30 o'clock on Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, and Saturday may be heard the harmonious notes of the large juvenile band at Will school when Mr. Sorlein is directing the future band players and orchestra leaders of the country. The band is divided into two groups which are given an hour each on Monday, Tuesday, and Friday while the two groups are combined in an hour's practice on Thursday and Saturday from 10 to 11 o'clock.

M'LEAN COUNTY PICNIC GROUNDS ON SITE OF LEWIS AND CLARK CAMP

The site where Lewis and Clark are believed to have spent the winter 119 years ago at old Fort Mandan, on the Missouri river 15 miles west of Washburn, has been dedicated as the permanent picnic grounds of the McLean County Old Settlers Association.

The road to the historical spot is being marked for tourists who wish to visit there. An annual picnic will be held by the old settlers association, which held its

BRITAIN SEES SMALL HOPE TO SHAKE FRANCE

Regard French and Belgian Immovable with Respect to Ruhr Occupation

CABINET MEETING

Discusses Reply to Franco-British Note Which Is Handed Government

London, July 31.—The principal business before the cabinet was the discussion of the Franco-Belgian communication in reply to Great Britain's reparations note. It was generally understood that ministers were approaching their task with anxiety.

The consensus of opinion here is that France is immovable in her position and that she has the support of Belgium as far as passive resistance and the continuation of the Ruhr occupation are concerned.

The diplomatic correspondent of the Daily Telegraph summarized the task before the government by pointing out "it was obliged to settle in addition to the general terms of the government for the coming statement to parliament whether any useful purpose can be served by continuing the negotiations with allies and the present basis of what alternative method or policy should be adopted."

GRAND JURY TO BE ASKED IN CASS CO.

Attorneys Would Again Put Scandinavian-American Bank Cases Before It

Fargo, July 31.—Another Cass county jury will be asked to consider evidence in the state's plan to obtain reindictment against 12 defendants in the matter of the failure of the Scandinavian-American bank, according to a decision reached today in a conference between Attorney General George F. Shafer, Attorney General Bangs of Grand Forks and State Attorney H. F. Horner of Cass county.

The program carries with it a plan to petition Judge Cooley, ranking jurist of the first district, for permission to convene the grand jury. It was stated, however, that the state, in the event permission is given, would take ample time in preparation of testimony to be presented to the grand jury.

Twelve persons were indicted by a grand jury in May, 1922, but the indictments were quashed by District Judge George McKenna.

COW TESTING BODY STARTS OUT AUG. 1

State Commissioner Will Supply Tester Until One Is Engaged For Work

The Burleigh County Cow Testing Association will get into action on August 1, it was announced today following a meeting of officers.

The association will start with about 25 members, considered a fine showing for the state.

W. F. Reynolds, state dairy commissioner, will supply a tester until the directors of the association meet Saturday to engage a tester from the Agricultural College.

The association was organized recently with the aid of local citizens and Mr. Reynolds.

Young At Fargo For Meet

Fargo, N. D., July 31.—Congressman George M. Young reached Fargo this morning and is quartered at the Waldorf Hotel. He is here to attend to all necessary preliminaries for the big mass Wheat Conference to be held tomorrow, Wednesday morning, at 10:30.

Young has received telegrams and letters from many portions of the state and says there is every indication of a splendid big meeting.

More time would have given for the meeting had it not been that it was desired that the President be reached on the Coast before he leaves for home through the Panama Canal, which will require twenty-five days.

YOURS FOR A DAY. London, July 31.—The idea of renting an auto and driving it yourself, which started in America, at last has hit England. Several dealers now advertise in that wise and people seem to be taking to it like a mosquito takes to a red neck.

MESSAGES FLOOD HOTEL OF PRESIDENT

San Francisco Is Stunned By The News of Serious Turn For the Worse

AMERICAN FLAGS HUNG

Flowers and Fruit Arrive in Profusion as Gifts from California People

MARKET BREAKS. New York, July 31.—Official overnight reports that President Harding's condition was grave brought large volume of selling orders into the stock market and caused a break of one to two points in United States Steel, Baldwin, Standard Oil and other speculative leaders.

Commission houses reported that much of the liquidation came from small investors who had become frightened by the turn for the worse in the President's illness.

San Francisco, July 31.—San Francisco, taken unawares by the unexpected coming of President Harding, burst forth today with all the gaiety of decoration that had been planned in honor of the nation's president.

Almost at the same time the city's crowd turned from their normal vivacity by grave news from the President's sick room, took on an unwelcome air of concern. Up Market street, the city's principal thoroughfare, great national banners hung from standards on either side, flanking the view in patriotic colors.

Through this array streamer crowds which paused before the President's hotel, halted before newspaper offices to read the latest bulletins regarding the executive's condition or broke up into small knots in which but one subject was discussed—the President's health.

All these signs of festivities made a contrast with the deep regret expressed everywhere that illness had overtaken the President. The regret was outdone by only one thing—the eagerness of every one to do what ever might be done to give aid and comfort to the President in his fight.

Telegrams of sympathy literally poured into the Presidential headquarters, keeping a state of clerks busy opening, reading and answering. Baskets of fruit, huge bouquets and other gifts that might serve to cheer the sick room or be of interest to the patient arrived in such profusion that they overflowed the presidential rooms and that the corridor had to be turned into a veritable bower of flowers.

It was a California way of expressing California sympathy.

PARTNER OF BURKE HELD BY GRAND JURY

Louis Kardos Is Charged with Violating Laws in Conduct of Business

New York, July 31.—Six indictments were returned against Louis K. Kardos, formerly head of the stock brokerage firm of Kardos and Burke, which failed last year for more than \$2,000,000.

Five of the indictments charged Kardos with trading against the accounts of customers and the sixth with bucketing orders.

John Burke, formerly treasurer of the United States and three times Governor of North Dakota, was a member of the firm. He said he had no idea of the nature of the business in which his firm was alleged to have indulged and agreed to assist the district attorney's office.

DR. HARDING AWAITS NEWS OF HIS SON

Marion, O., July 31.—The only direct word Dr. George T. Harding, aged father of the President, has received from his son's bedside was a telegram late last night from Mrs. Harding stating pneumonia had developed. Mr. Harding said he did not expect to go to San Francisco, as the distance was too far for a man of his age.

The doctor eagerly scanned newspapers and awaited bulletins from news services. His concern epitomized the feeling of Marion citizens. There was a subdued air in the streets and a prevailing tenseness.

RATLIKE ANIMALS FOUND IN BANANAS AT GRAFTON. Grafton, N. D., July 31.—Three ratlike animals were found in a bunch of bananas which Joseph Bernard recently uncrated in his store here. The body of one was about three inches long, with a long tail, and resembled a rat. On her back she carried two of her young. Local naturalists have been unable to determine the animals' zoological classification.

PEOPLE FIND TRAINS HAVE CHANGED TIME

A number of people are discovering by experience and by missing trains that they have changed time, as a result of a shortening of the time between the Chicago and Seattle to 70 hours, beginning last Sunday.

No. 2, eastbound, leaves at 8:57 instead of 9:42 a. m. as formerly, leaving 45 minutes earlier than formerly.

No. 4, eastbound leaves at 7:28 p. m. instead of 7:40 p. m. as formerly.

No. 1, westbound goes at 11:29 a. m. instead of 11:39 a. m. as formerly.

NESTOS URGES CONGRESS TO TAKE ACTION

Believes Special Session Should be Called to Fix Minimum Price on Wheat

GIVES SITUATION VIEWS

Conceded That Agriculture Is in Need of Stimulus, Governor Says

Belief that President Harding should call a special session of Congress which might accomplish good for the Northwest is expressed by Governor R. A. Nestos of North Dakota in a letter to the nation's chief executive. Governor Nestos favors fixing of a minimum price on wheat.

In a statement issued today upon inquiry as to whether or not he would attend a price-fixing meeting called at Lidgerwood, Governor Nestos said:

"It is conceded by everybody that agriculture is our fundamental industry and that any seeming prosperity which has come to our industrial and economic life generally, cannot last where it is accompanied by a bankrupt condition of our American farmers. Unless a reasonable measure of prosperity also becomes a lot of the farmer and thus restores his purchasing power, the closing of our factories, lack of employment for labor, and the failure of industry is inevitable and the crash will be an appalling one."

"It is also conceded that the condition of our agriculture, and more especially of our wheat raisers, is most deplorable and that unless some effective relief can be brought without delay, disaster to our economic structure must result. But while this is conceded, there seems to have been a disposition, aside from the granting of improved forms of credit, to view the situation helplessly and merely to hope that something will just happen to restore the prosperity of the farmer, and to claim that nothing can be done by legislation to give him a price for his product that will pay the farmer reasonable wages for his labor and a fair return on his investment. Yet, it is becoming more and more apparent, it seems to me, that if we are going to wait until prosperity is restored by the working out of economic laws alone, without legislative aid, that hundreds of thousands of our farmers will be forced into bankruptcy and driven from their lands with great injustice to them and a great loss to our national economic life."

"It seems to me that if congress were called in extra session that it should be possible to work out some solution of this problem that would give the farmer, without delay, such price for his wheat as would make it possible to bridge over the gap until improved economic conditions of the farmer's debt be restored and the purchasing power of the farmer be restored. Of course, I also realize that we want to be sure that the legislation enacted will really help and not hinder real progress. There is always a danger that in our efforts to help we may sometimes imitate the Irishman who, when a (Continued on Page Three)

PNEUMONIA WHICH DEVELOPED DURING NIGHT, LESS SERIOUS TODAY, PHYSICIANS DECLARE

President Spent Fairly Comfortable Night in San Francisco Hotel, and Nourishment Is Being Taken Regularly—Calls For Morning Papers and Reads News, Chiefly About His Own Illness—Heart Action Is Reported Definitely Improved by Physicians.

Presidential Headquarters, Palace Hotel, San Francisco, July 31.—President Harding appeared today to have won the first preliminary skirmish in his fight against bronchial pneumonia and attending complications.

An official bulletin issued by the five physicians attending him said there had been no extension during the night and earlier part of the day of the pneumonic areas and the heart action was definitely improved. It stated also that he had been benefited by a fairly comfortable night, with considerable restful sleep.

The President, the bulletin said, expressed himself as feeling better and less exhausted. His temperature, 100 at 9 a. m., was about a degree less than yesterday. His respiration of 40 was given as regular as contrasted with 44 and irregular in yesterday's report.

Unofficial word from the president's chamber made known to newspaper men shortly before noon said the next consultation of attending physicians would be called for 4 o'clock this afternoon and followed by a formal statement by the doctors about 5 p. m.

Confidence was expressed by the spokesman that the hopeful tone of the morning statement would be reiterated in the afternoon bulletin as the President continued to rest fairly well—a sign that he is gaining strength in the combat being waged against his ailment.

Arrangements were made today by George B. Christian, Jr., secretary to President Harding, for release in tomorrow morning's papers the address which the chief executive prior to his illness had planned to deliver here tonight.

Presidential Headquarters, Palace Hotel, San Francisco, July 31.—Definite indications of the improvement in the condition of President Harding was contained in an official bulletin issued at 10 a. m. today by attending physicians. It follows:

"The president had a fairly comfortable night with considerable restful sleep.

"His temperature at 9 a. m. is 100, pulse 120, respiration 40 and regular. There has been no expansion of the pneumonic areas and the heart action is definitely improved.

"Nourishment and fluids are being taken regularly. Elimination is satisfactory.

"He expresses himself as feeling better and less exhausted.

Signed,
C. E. Sawyer, M. D.
Ray Lyman Wilbur, M. D.
C. M. Cooper, M. D.
J. T. Boone, M. D.
Hubert Work, M. D."

MUCH IMPROVED

Presidential Headquarters, Palace Hotel, San Francisco, July 31.—President Harding passed the "best night comparatively" since he has been ill, Brigadier-General Sawyer, his personal physician, said in a statement made at 8 o'clock this morning.

"The President has had the best night comparatively that he has had since his illness began," said Gen. Sawyer. "That augurs well."

"His condition seems to warrant the statement that apparently he has got into clear sailing."

General Sawyer confined his announcement to this brief statement, coming out from a consultation with other physicians to meet newspaper men.

Word from the President's sick room supported the belief that grew through the night—a belief that he was getting a rather good night's sleep. He took some nourishment this morning and read the papers, it was also learned.

MRS. HARDING, AS NURSE, ASSUMES BURDENS OF PRESIDENT'S SICK-ROOM

San Francisco, July 31.—Mrs. Warren G. Harding left the White House in Washington more than a month ago to accompany the president on a 15,000 mile trip to Alaska and return by the Panama canal and Porto Rico. She insisted upon making the tour with her husband despite the fact that she had recovered from a short time from a serious illness and was judged by some as being as that time in a condition where the hardships of the road might prove disastrous, resulting possibly in a recurrence of the illness from which she recently had suffered.

The journey across the continent was completed. Mrs. Harding sailed from Tacoma the merriest and most vivacious member of the president's party and it was not until she reached Fairbanks, Alaska, almost within the arctic circle, that she heeded the rigors of travel and the strenuous life, along the northern trails. Those who had worried about her condition from the time the western journey commenced

feared she had overtaxed her strength. Two days of rest, however, dissipated the fatigue and soon Mrs. Harding had entirely regained her strength and again went cheerfully onward, receiving visitors and taking the first lady's role in a vigorous way wherever the chief executive stopped.

Today the woman who was expected to be nursed had become the nurse. Her husband had been stricken by illness. Five physicians have been called to his bedside in the hotel here in serious consultation.

Mrs. Harding has cheerfully assumed the burdens of the sickroom, still smiling in the face of adverse fortune, displaying a courage that has won for her the admiration of every member of the presidential party and, in addition, lending an effective hand in the business office where secretaries and clerks labor with the work of cancelling arrangements made at advance points, of acknowledging hundreds of messages of solicitude and responding to countless telephone calls from anxious friends everywhere in the country.

ADMIT SERIOUSNESS OF CONDITION

San Francisco, July 31.—(By the Associated Press)—President Harding's illness responded yesterday to careful treatment and complete rest but his physicians in a statement issued last night admitted for the first time that his condition was serious.

The bulletin issued failed to beat out the more optimistic reports which had come from the president's sick room during the afternoon.

It noted only a slight decrease in temperature and a rapid rise in pulse and respiration, and more over said that there was evidence of congestion in one lung whereas the physicians' statement issued shortly before noon had described the lungs as clear. The most encouraging feature of last night's statement was that the chief executive had taken more nourishment and had been fairly comfortable during the day. The bulletin issued after an hour's consultation of the physicians was as follows:

"The president's condition is as follows:

"Temperature 100.6 degrees.

"Pulse 125.

"Respiration 44 and somewhat irregular.

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NEOSHO PLAN IS EXPLAINED AT GATHERING

Gurney Lowe, Representing Associated Advertising Clubs, Speaks in Bismarck

The Neosho plan of cooperative marketing was explained last night to business men of the city at an Association of Commerce dinner in the Grand Pacific hotel by Gurney Lowe, originator of the plan. The plan, which embraces features which have been tried out in various forms in this section, calls for a persistent cooperative sales day effort. Mr. Lowe is traveling through the Northwest explaining the plan as a representative of the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World and under the auspices of the Northern Pacific and Soo railroads.

Accompanying Mr. Lowe were Harry Byerly, general immigration agent of the Northern Pacific; John F. Fox, assistant general immigration agent of the Northern Pacific and F. J. Elliott, of the department. Rob Simpson was chairman of the meeting. Mr. Fox, introducing Mr. Lowe, said that the railroads were interested in

the work because the railroad considers itself a citizen of Bismarck, desires to develop a finer community spirit and better business.

Mr. Lowe explained his plan as embracing retail advertising, merchandising and community development. He declared it was not based upon the finer spirit of improving relations between farmer and farmer, merchant and merchant, and farmer and merchant. At the close of Mr. Lowe's talk a number of business men expressed their interest in the plan, and decided to adopt it.

At a meeting held this morning at the Association of Commerce rooms an organization was effected to handle the plan. A new Bismarck Town Criers club was organized, with C. E. Simpson, president; F. J. Grady, vice-president; and A. F. Bradley, secretary-treasurer. It will be a branch of the Association of Commerce. A membership of 35 was secured.

MANDAN NEWS

Mrs. W. Peterson who has been visiting at the Hans Peterson home for the past few weeks returned to her home in Billings yesterday.

Rev. H. H. Owen, pastor of the Presbyterian church, left today for Hager City, Wis., to spend a vacation of a month. Mrs. Owen and daughter, Miss Gwen have been in Hager City since June and will return with Rev. Owen the first of September. Miss Owen who graduated this year from Macalester College, St. Paul, will be a member of the high school faculty during the coming school term.

Mrs. W. C. Tostevin and Mrs. Leigh Smith entertained the members of their card club at a home picnic Sunday afternoon at the E. A. Tostevin residence.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Johnson and daughter returned home Saturday night from a two weeks' vacation and automobile trip, most of which was spent at Graylyn, Minn., where Rev. Swen Anderson, brother of Mrs. Johnson resides.

Atty. Alf. O. Nelson for many years a resident of Dunn Center and who left that vicinity recently to seek a new location in the west has taken up residence with his family at Gresham, Ore., a suburb about six miles from Portland.

W. C. Green of Fargo, lieutenant governor for North Dakota of the International Kiwanis clubs was greeted by a large group of loyal Kiwanians and a double male quartette this noon. Preparations are being made for the annual convention which will be held at Watertown, S. D., Aug. 9 and 10.

R. E. Gallagher, formerly states attorney in Golden Valley county, and in the law practice in Beach for the past 17 years, will be associated with the law firm of Sullivan, Hanley & Sullivan after Aug. 1.

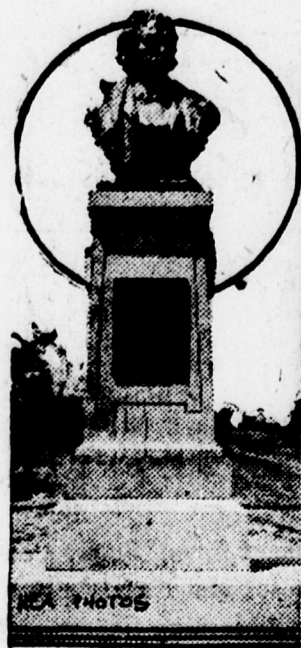
Mr. Gallagher came into prominence when Lynn Frazier as governor ordered him removed from office during the famous Bowen murder near Beach.

Misses Emma Schweigert and Katherine Schlosser, delegates from the local club at the annual convention of the National Federation of Business and Professional Women's club at Portland, Oregon, returned Saturday after visiting along the way.

Mrs. Leslie Strom formerly Charlotte-Statenman of Seattle, Wash., arrived in the city Sunday to spend a month here at the home of her parents, Atty. and Mrs. W. H. Statenman. Mrs. Statenman Jr., who has been visiting his sister in the west and

MEMORIAL TO MARK TWAIN

Plan to Perpetuate Humorist's Birthplace as Literary Shrine



MARK TWAIN'S BIRTHPLACE, RIGHT, AT FLORIDA, MO., WITH "DAD" VIOLET IN FRONT. AT LEFT, TWAIN MEMORIAL IN FLORIDA, ERECTED BY THE STATE OF MISSOURI.

Florida, July 31.—A literary shrine to America's greatest humorist, even more unique and magnificent than the one dedicated to William Shakespeare at Stratford-on-Avon!

Such is the ambitious plan now being worked out by interested Missourians who expect, within two years, to establish a memorial park to Samuel Longhorne Clemens, most familiarly known as Mark Twain.

Florida—this little village seven miles from a railroad, located in northeastern Missouri, where Twain was born and where he spent many of his boyhood days—is to be its location.

Once a thriving river town on the upper Mississippi, Florida has degenerated into a little country village of some 500 souls—due to the coming of the railroads. But with it all Florida swells with pride over the conspicuous place it occupies in history. An air of romance pervades the township and its outlying territory.

Girl Starts It

Credit for starting the movement must be divided among four

George Newgard of Tacoma, Wash., accompanied Mrs. Strom to Mandan.

W. J. Gill of the Missouri Valley Grocery company left Saturday evening for St. Paul where he will be met by his two sisters who reside there, the three then leaving for a trip to Canada for several weeks visit with relatives.

Robert Sullivan, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Sullivan, a student at the University of Minnesota, returned to Mandan Saturday to spend the balance of the summer vacation here.

Large Judgment Against Olson

Minot, N. D., July 31.—Judgment approximately \$85,000 was ordered by Judge John C. Lowe in district court here, in deciding in favor of the plaintiff in an action brought by the St. Paul Trust and Savings bank of St. Paul, against Jorgen Olson, et al, of Minot. The verdict represents the approximate sum involved in a foreclosure action on 8,800 acres of land situated in Ward and Renville counties. The defendant had interposed a counter claim of \$100,000 for alleged impairment of credit, but this phase of the case was not touched upon in the decision and will be submitted to a jury at the November term of court.

The securities claimed by the plaintiff in the foreclosure action consisted of bank stock, commission mortgages and four deeds covering the land.

While not denying the debt, nor the fact that he gave the commission mortgages and bank stock as collateral security for the loan, Olson contended that he did not give the deeds as security and asserted that the land was not part of the security given to the plaintiff. Instead, he testified, he gave the deeds to the plaintiff with the idea of floating a bond issue ranging between \$300,000

persons—M. A. (Dad) Violet, owner of the home in which Twain was born; Frank B. Lamson, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at Moberly, Mo.; H. J. Blanton, publisher of the Monroe County Appeal at Paris, Mo., and Lamson's 12-year-old daughter, Ruth.

With "Dad" Violet the idea ever had been an object. He rescued the Twain birthplace from a wrecking crew, had it moved across the street on his own property and filled it with furnishings typical of the period of Twain's boyhood.

More than 5000 tourists from every state in the Union visited the home during 1922. Ruth Lamson was one of them. She interested her father in the home. He immediately got in touch with Editor Blanton at Paris and "Dad" Violet.

Violet told of having refused \$3000 from persons who wished to purchase the Twain home for mercenary reasons. He offered to donate the home and an appreciable amount of property as a location for the park if the state of Missouri would improve it and guarantee the upkeep.

Then and there the nucleus of the Mark Twain Memorial Park Association was formed. Blanton became president and Lamson, secretary.

Campaign Plans

Present plans of the association are to raise \$20,000 for the purchase of 100 acres of land adjoining Florida at the two forks of Salt River, besides the land offered by Violet. This property will overlook the "swimming hole" and other landmarks made famous by Twain in his various literary works.

The week of September 15 to 22 has been chosen for a national campaign to obtain funds.

August will be known as "Mark Twain Month," when book stores throughout America will be requested to make conspicuous display of Mark Twain volumes.

During the first week in September public schools, educational institutions, literary clubs, civic associations, fraternal societies and places of amusement will be urged to present a Mark Twain program of instruction and entertainment.

Jail Looks Rosy With Woman as Judge

By NEA Service.

Newark, N. J., July 31.—It's a pleasure to be sentenced in the East Newark police court.

That's what speeders, traffic law violators and other culprits say after having been hauled before the court. For Miss Sara V. Dunn, 26 and pretty, sits upon the bench, New Jersey's first woman police judge, officially designated in this state as "recorder."

Although she has ruled cigar butts out of the courtroom and put a ban on smelly pipes, she is one of the most popular judges in the state.

"The letter of the law is going to be enforced in my court," she says. "And there is going to be decorum in the court. I may be a woman, but I'm also a judge. My courtroom is going to be run just so."

And it is. Prisoners tip-toe into the courtroom, and just sit quietly by looking at the judge while she admonishes them.

She is lenient with the drunks—if they do not drive autos. Says she: "The ordinary drunk, who does not jeopardize the lives of others, is harmless. He is entitled to some consideration for his misfortune."

"I suppose one can hardly blame some men for taking a few drinks, especially if they have to labor hard every day, and have few home comforts and little to live for. They are to be pitied."

"But the drunken motorists who snuff out the lives of little children



RECORDER SARA V. DUNN

who come in their path, they are to be dealt with severely."

was damaged to the extent of \$100,000.

'LOW NECKS' PEEVE 'EM

Athens, July 31.—A band of "zealots," led by a Piraeus grocer, are administering coats of tar to women they find wearing low neck dresses in public.

Miss New Silver Dollar May Be Shy Physically and Commercially —But We're All For Her



DR. WALLACE HAROLD BARNES

By NEA Service.
Washington, July 31.—America's new dollar lady may have adenoids, thick lips and pinched nostrils—but all that doesn't detract from her popularity.

Nobody save Dr. Wallace Harold Barnes of San Francisco lifts a second eyebrow in her direction. And Mary O'Reilly, assistant to F. E. Scooby, director of the mint here, just raves about the lady's beauty.

"Why, I think she's beautiful," Miss O'Reilly exclaims. "Of course her face is idealized. It's more



MARY O'REILLY

youthful, more inspiring than some of her predecessors."

Operation Needed.
Dr. Barnes, clinical instructor of medicine at Stanford University Medical School, recently declared the "dollar lady" too sickly to be circulating around the country. She ought to be in a hospital, he tells us.

Her physiognomy reveals, says Dr. Barnes, that she should undergo an immediate operation for adenoids. Those awful adenoids must come out. They've been there, you know, since early childhood.

They've made her a "mouth

breather." They've thrown her face out of alignment, left her nose undeveloped and her chin receding. All of which denotes not only poor health but likewise a weak will.

At least that's the trend of the Stanford medic's analysis. Anthony Franchetti, New York sculptor, submitted the design. And he proudly admits it.

But Scooby denies he had anything to do with the selecting. "She's no child of my choosing," he pleads.

And the records back him up. The design was approved by Scooby's

Democratic predecessor, Ray Baker, back in December, 1921.

Oh, Sherlock!
Can it be that Baker had any ulterior motive in accepting the design? Did he pick it, knowing that the coins were to be struck off by a Republican administration?

It looks like it's a case for Sherlock Holmes to worry about.

Cordell Hull, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, who confesses he's not an art expert, declines to comment on the lady's good looks or lack of good looks.

He has noticed, though, these shining new dollars don't go as far as the old ones did. That would seem to bear out Dr. Barnes' contention that the goddess is somewhat of a weakling, he suggests.

Two hundred and seventy thousand of the new dollars are being coined. They're replacing the "iron mesh" melted down during the war when so much silver was being shipped abroad.

And day by day, the "dollar lady," sickly though she may look to Dr. Barnes, is becoming more and more popular.

BOOKS AID PILLS IN CURE

Prescribed by Physicians in Hospitals in Cities

CHICAGO, July 31.—Books as well as pills for curing the sick are now being used in the principal hospitals of the country, according to Miss Louise Singley, district manager for the American Library association.

"Robinson Crusoe won't cure a case of tuberculosis, but reading does keep a patient's mind off his troubles," Miss Singley said. "Efforts are made to put the right book in a sick man's hands. A librarian in a hospital studies her patrons somewhat as a doctor does. Everything depends on the individual case."

"Some books depress and others excite. Many librarians say that whole classes of books should be tabooed from hospitals for these very reasons. But if a librarian studies her patients like the doctor, she can prescribe books for him without danger. A book that would hurt a person with a certain ailment, or with a certain temperament will be all right for another."

"The psychology of the patient must be taken into consideration. A tuberculosis patient can undertake more serious reading than that of the other sick people because his convalescence covers a longer period of time."

"A librarian cannot tell a patient he must take one novel a week in large doses. However, she has to steer her readers without them knowing it. Later on the patient gets interested in some particular line of work, and after that he takes care of himself."

STILL SNOOPING AROUND

Brussels, July 31.—Several recent arrests have revealed German spies still are active at Seebrugge, according to government agents.

Buzz-Saw Has No Terrors For This Woman; She's 69, Yet Runs Planing Mill Herself



MRS. RACHEL NEILL

By NEA Service.

Orange, N. J., July 31.—A 69-year-old woman is the best mill hand in town.

She is Mrs. Rachel Neill, a gray-haired mother who took up the work as an avocation 35 years ago. Now her plant is one of the busiest in the state.

There's little about milling that Mrs. Neill doesn't know. She can feed a buzz-saw as skillfully as any man; she can plane a board as quickly as her fastest worker; and there is no machine in her place that she can't operate.

Her chief business is turning out window sashes, wall frames and the like. When a rush order comes in, Mrs. Neill leaves her little office on

the first floor of her plant, goes upstairs to the workrooms and sees that the job goes through. If it doesn't go fast enough, she rolls up her sleeves and lends a hand.

"Old?" she says. "Not at all. Work is the greatest elixir of youth. It keeps one young indefinitely."

Although she is close to 70, Mrs. Neill walks as sprightly as her youngest employe, shouts as loud as the rest of them, as they raise their voice above the hum of the buzz-saws, and needs no glasses to improve her eyesight. Worry about business troubles?

"Never," she says. "What's the good? If cost of labor and material mount, just be optimistic that they will come down again."

General Wood's Free Use of Veto Brought on Resignation of Cabinet, Filipinos Say

By Harry B. Hunt
NEA Service Writer

Washington, July 31.—Washington officials in touch with recent developments in the Philippines are not surprised at the break which culminated in the resignation of the entire Filipino cabinet.

The split between Manuel L. Quezon, president of the Philippine Senate, and Governor General Leonard Wood, only follows open and active criticism by Quezon, for the last several months, of Wood's policies.

A year ago a break threatened over the attempt of Governor Wood to force Filipino leaders to lease the government owned and operated Manila railroad to New York capitalists. This road has a trackage of

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764 miles and has increased wages and paid a nice profit over a five-year period. The Filipino leaders refused to sign the lease.

Wood next aroused the antipathy of the Filipino leaders by vetoing 16 bills passed by the Philippine Legislature. One of these measures carried an appropriation for a ten-year program for the University of the Philippines.

Newspapers Aroused
Wood was bitterly criticized for this use of his veto.

For the last several months there have been hot discussions in the Philippine newspapers over the attempt of Wood to force the government to dispose of its sugar centrals and to liquidate the Philippine National Bank.

The Filipino leaders contended that the sugar centrals were rendering very valuable service to Filipino sugar growers and were not in sympathy with the move to close the bank.

Wood, however, took the reins in his own hands and closed 11 branches of the Philippine National Bank. This aroused a storm of protest.

The Filipinos assert that if the Philippine National Bank is closed it will place Philippine commerce and industry wholly at the mercy of foreign capital. President Quezon and other leaders made a tour of the islands protesting against Wood's policies and threatened that if the governor general closed the Philippine National Bank the Philippine Senate would open another.

The Filipinos maintain that Wood's acts are in violation of the spirit of the Jones law, passed in August, 1916, and assert that Congress intended to give them practically complete local self-government with full power to enact any legislation that does not conflict with the sovereignty of the United States over the islands.

What Good Is Legislation?
They quote the late Congressman Jones that such was the purpose of the legislation.

Quezon recently declared that if Wood is to formulate the policies of government without consultation with the Filipino leaders the Legislature might as well be abandoned completely.

In this connection it is recalled that the Wood-Forbes report contained the recommendation that some of the features of self-government at that time possessed by the Filipinos should be withdrawn. Neither Congress nor the president, however, have taken any steps to carry out these recommendations. Wood is now endeavoring, the Filipinos assert, to bring about the same results without Congress ever having approved the recommendations.

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"MY FRIEND THE INDIAN"
Major James McLaughlin has passed. For fifty-two years he gave the best that was in him to the service of his government. He was one of the real pioneers of North Dakota, one of the few men of the nation who have achieved more than ordinary success in dealing with the Indians.

Major McLaughlin is the author of a book, "My Friend The Indian." It was with this spirit that he first dealt with the Indians, in the frontier post at Fort Totten when it was still far beyond the sound of a locomotive whistle. It was the spirit he carried to Standing Rock Reservation where he earned the title of the "only man who could tame Sitting Bull." It was the attitude he held toward the original settlers of the country throughout his long career. Perhaps much of the success for which Major McLaughlin became noted in his dealings with the Indians was because of the friendly attitude he assumed.

The career of Major McLaughlin stands both as a splendid example of unselfish and faithful service to the government throughout a long period at small remuneration, and a precept for those now representing the government in dealing with the Indians of the west. Not only did Major McLaughlin seek always to uphold his country's honor by doing justice, but in so doing he prevented many uprisings and consequent bloodshed.

THE JUNK MAN
In New York the Waste Paper Dealers' Association, unable to compete with the Salvation Army on prices, petition the attorney general to take a hand. They claim that the Salvation Army, by conducting a big waste paper business, is violating the provisions of the act under which it was created as a religious and charitable corporation.

For instance, in one case, the Army bid \$1.37 per 100 pounds for old paper, while the next highest bid, by a commercial competitor, was only 65 cents per 100 pounds.

The average reader will not be interested in the technicalities of this squabble. But it will be both interesting and astonishing, that the collection of waste paper in New York City alone is a 15-million dollar industry.

The Salvation Army is reconstructing a seven-story building in New York City to house and provide working facilities for 80 down-and-outers, also to include a store where the poor can buy salvaged and repaired clothing and household goods at very low prices.

The money for this construction job—\$30,000—was obtained by collecting waste paper at the back doors of New York households.

Look at your waste basket. It is a symbol of one of the chief ways by which big fortunes will be made in the future. We have been so blessed with rich natural resources that we have gone along carelessly for generations and are only beginning to open our eyes to the possibilities of economy by the salvage route.

This is true of all industries, in varying degrees. For instance, the early farmers in America mined the soil rather than farmed it. They sapped the very life from wonderfully rich and fertile earth—drained it of the best part of its vitality—and it is only within comparatively few years that there has been any widespread movement to replenish the soil's richness by commercial fertilizer.

There's a saying that Europe could live on the food we Americans waste in our garbage pails. An exaggeration, yes; but it illustrates a true principle. Slowly, however, we are learning to economize with food, though a period of prosperity quickly starts the garbage pails overflowing.

The cream has been skimmed from our natural resources. Scientific economy is becoming compulsory. And economy on a big scale will be worked out in the laboratories. A tremendous start has already been made in that direction.

Our future gold mines will be the waste basket, the garbage pail, the ash heap and the trash pile.

MORTGAGED
More than 1884 million dollars worth of new stocks and bonds were listed on the New York Stock Exchange in the first six months of 1923. These stocks and bonds represent mortgages on part of our national wealth. About 75 years of new financing, at this rate, would blanket the entire national wealth with a mortgage of 100 cents on the dollar.

There's a big start in that direction already. Around 54 billion dollars worth of stocks and bonds already are listed on the New York Exchange and, in addition, about 100 million shares of no par value. Include stocks and bonds listed on other exchanges, or not listed at all, and you wonder if the national wealth already isn't mortgaged almost to its full limit.

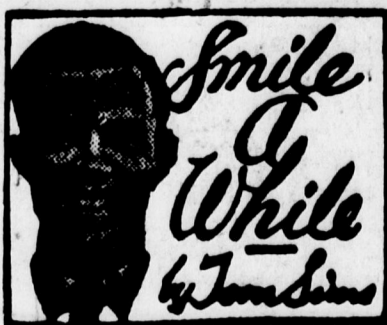
LIGHTNING
The most terrible force in nature—lightning—destroys 12 million dollars worth of property a year, according to the National Board of Fire Underwriters.

This, however, is less than a fifth as much as the yearly fire loss in dwellings, not to mention destruction by fire outside our homes.

Lightning is not preventable, though lightning rods are of great value in protecting us against it. Yet we fear lightning, have deep respect for it. On the other hand, we have only a surface fear of fires, most of which are preventable.

Fear is an excellent emotion, but we rarely vent it in the right direction.

GAIN
Don't be too concerned about the slump in our foreign trade. In the 12 months ended June 30, exports from our country totaled 3966 million dollars. This was 195 million dollars more than in the previous 12 months. While increased prices probably absorbed this gain, it's comforting to know that we're just about holding our own despite the continued economic chaos in Europe.



One might even say about the president's job these candidates don't want nothing else but.

Here's summer half gone and none of the returning vacationists have their ears frost-bitten.

Alaska wants to be a state, but doesn't owe enough money yet.

"Girl of Nineteen Gone"—Headline. That's too many's girl.

Maybe Europe could arrest her statesmen for disturbing the peace.

A Los Angeles man's wife has left him eight times; not once, we'll bet, being on payday.

Texas is fighting bow weevils with airplanes, much to the surprise of the boll weevils.

A wild man is reported near Steubenville, O., or it may be a stray big league pitcher.

What's in a name? About \$5,000,000 gold will be gotten from a ship which sank off Ushant.

Former senator is accused of breach of promise, but not as one would think, by voters.

"Ten Days of Grace Enough?"—Headline. Not the Grace we know.

Hungary reports a bumper wine crop, which may bumper few heads.

Every day now more trouble is being mixed in the Ruhr basin.

Wonder if you can cuff before a girl wearing knickerbockers!

United States uses 40 tons of postage stamps a week. Why don't you people pay your bills?

MacMillan says he will stay in the arctic 15 months, which is an awful lot of corned beef.

Some man claims he has a serum to make you tell the truth, but it sounds like a lie to us.

We have a few too many prohibitionists with their eyes aloft and their thoughts a cellar.

They keep that schoolgirl complexion at the drug store.

Monday was wash day once. Now it is the day we get the list of killed and injured.

A girl in one of these fancy bathing suits with ruffles looks as if she has just seen a rat.

Some June bugs are working. Others are making their homes with the parents of the bride.

These days a man's outlook in life depends upon his lookout.

Legal tender is getting tougher.

It is easy to be anything. Hard part is keeping on being it.

A pessimist is an optimist in reverse.

ADVENTURE OF THE TWINS

By Olive Roberts Barton

Nancy and Nick and Mister Sky Bow tippy-toed up close to the place old Cross Patch lived behind a lot of sharp nettles and smart-weed and thistles.

"Goodness! I can't get over those things!" whispered the fairy man. "I have no magic shoes like you have."

"Oh, but we'll help you," whispered back Nancy. "Nick and I can make a chair out of our hands and then you can jump on and we'll wish ourselves over."

"Fine!" said the fairy softly. "Not too loud because Cross Patch might be listening."

So Nancy and Nick made a "London bridge" and Mister Sky Bow sat down on it and put an arm around each of their necks.

"My, my! I'm as comfortable as I am in my own hammock at home," he said delightedly. "Now then! One for the money, two for the show, three to make ready and four to go."

When he said "go" the Twins made a wish and their magic shoes lifted them right off the ground and over the thistles and nettles and things—and there they were!

But somebody else was there, too! Old Cross Patch himself.

"Rrrr! Grrr!" he growled, gnashing his teeth. "Who are you and what do you want?"

Nick spoke up bravely. "We're after your bad old magic stick and we're going to get it. You've made everybody in Rainbow Land unhappy and bewitched; the nice little Gnomes, too. We're going to take your stick and bewitch them back again."

And the Twins made a rush. But quick as a wink old Cross Patch threw down a lot of banana skins, and the whole three of them went sprawling on the ground.

(To Be Continued.)
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A Thought
Upto the pure all things are pure; but unto them that are d-diled and unbelieving is nothing pure; but even their mind and conscience is defiled.—Titus 1:15.

The man who in this world can keep the wilderness of his soul is not likely to close it in any other.—Alexander Smith.



LETTER FROM MRS. JOSEPH GRAVES HAMILTON TO MR. JOSEPH GRAVES HAMILTON.

MY DEAR HUSBAND: I am getting very much discouraged over Leslie's condition. I know the other day when you were here she had a little flicker of interest as you came in, but after she had first seen you, you remember, she never seemed much interested in you again.

We are taking her to a convalescent home tomorrow, and the doctor has suggested if she gets no better that I should try and find a little new baby for Leslie and Jack to adopt. Of course I do not know how this is going to work, Joe. Personally, I would feel very much as though some one had physically hurt me if they put another baby in my arms just after I had lost our boy, you know. But you never can tell just what will be the outcome of a thing of this kind.

Poor John! I am very sorry for him. He is almost as vain as Leslie and he has always a hunted look upon his face, as though he were worried almost to death. I tried to make him think it would be a good thing if he would go out of town and leave Leslie to me and the nurse's attention, but he won't hear of such a thing. He seems to think Leslie needs him even if it breaks his heart when he comes in and she scarcely opens her eyes to look at him.

I will write you tomorrow after we have gotten Leslie settled in the convalescent home. I have arranged for her to have a whole suite of rooms.

This afternoon for the first time she spoke to me in a more resigned tone about her baby. She has hardly mentioned it, as yet, to Jack. I have

tried to get Jack to ask her about it, for you know she seemed to think that Jack did not want the baby and she had kept it a secret that she was going to have one until the accident. I almost feel that my some perverser son of mind she rather blames Jack for the baby's death. You know what queer ideas one will get, at such times.

Sydney Carton was up here yesterday. I had a long talk with him. Joe, I like that young man very much. He is perfectly devoted to John and Leslie, and after he had been here John seemed much comforted. I tried to get Sydney to go into Leslie's room but he said he was afraid he would disturb her.

I was glad to get your letter that Karl Whitney was leaving for England early next week. Of course, he will be here to see us before he goes. Leslie said such a peculiar thing yesterday when I told her Karl was going.

"I wish, mother dear," she begged me, "that you would go into my wall-safe at my apartment and get that string of pearl heads which Alice gave me for a wedding present, and tell Karl to take them over to her. I do not expect I will be wearing them for a long while, and they are so beautiful I would like to lend them to Alice."

This is the first time that Leslie has seemed at all to have the slightest interest in anything since the accident. I took it as a good omen and told John about it as soon as he came home. When he mentioned it, however, to Leslie, she seemed to have forgotten all about it and only said, "If mother wants to send them to Alice let her do so."

Looking back on our lives, Joe, it seems to me that although we had to

work very hard, we were happier than the modern young people. We were closer together. I am sure that when we lost our little son I felt as though I could not live if you were not near me all the time. Leslie, however, seems to have no interest whatever in John, and he is almost afraid of her.

Will write you tomorrow.
With love, your wife,
ALICE.

Editorial Review
WHAT'S THE REMEDY?
There is entirely too much "politics" in politics. It interferes with efficiency and is expensive to the taxpayers.—Bottineau Farmers Advocate.

IT SEEMS THAT WAY
Wheat farming doesn't pay. Some kinds of livestock farming doesn't pay. Intelligent livestock farming does pay, and we can show any number of instances hereabouts that it does. It isn't possible, and it probably wouldn't work out right if it were possible to make the change from all wheat to some kind of a mixed farming. Livestock farming on a big scale means expensive buildings, and an entire change of methods and equipment. The change must be gradual, and a few animals are all that is needed to start. And farmers must get that start or go broke.—Wahpeton Globe.

A BELATED CONCESSION
It has taken Germany a long time to admit liability for sinking the Lusitania. There never was, of course, any denial that a German U-boat fired the torpedo which sank the liner; that much was admitted, even boasted, from the first. But until the German commission in Washington on Saturday confessed liability for the act of piracy, the official Teutonic attitude has been one of insistence that Great Britain alone merited blame for the sacrifice of life.

Three days after the loss of the Lusitania the British foreign office cabled the German embassy at Washington expressing "its deepest sympathy" at the loss of lives involved. It insisted, however, that "the responsibility rests with the British" government, which through its plan of starving the civilian population of Germany has forced Germany to resort to retaliatory measures.

More than eight years have passed since the incident that shocked the civilized world that was instrumental in bringing the United States into the war. It is a significant concession on the part of the German government. One by one the old pretensions are falling away. Germany at least concedes what every other civilized nation in the world knew in May 1915.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

French Surgeon Loses Fat Fee
Paris, July 31.—A Paris surgeon is telling a good story against himself. He was called in to operate on an American woman for appendicitis, and when the cure was complete the patient, seeking to show her gratitude in some way that was not too commonplace, embroidered a cigar case and took it to the surgeon.

THE YELLOW SEVEN

The Bronze Jar

NEA Service, Inc. 1923 By Edmund Snell.

This unusual series of stories deals with the exploits of "Chinese" Pennington, a detective sent by his government to British North Borneo to run to earth The Yellow Seven, a gang of Chinese bandits.

Chinese Pennington thrust his head in at the doorway of Hewitt's office and blinked toward where the Commissioner sat at his desk, apparently immersed in thought, but, in reality, watching the antics of a Siamese kitten that his sister was tantalizing with a champagne cork suspended from a string.

"Well," demanded the intruder. "How's things?"

Captain John Hewitt started, guiltily and Monica, grasping the folds of her kimono with one hand and the kitten with the other, dropped into a chair.

"Morning, Pennington," said the Commissioner. "Anything fresh?"

The man with the peculiar eyes came in languidly.

"Viney's new freshest thing I've seen this morning," he admitted.

"Don't be a fool!" recommended Monica, flushing. She held the animal up for inspection. "Isn't he sweet? Mr. Dawson sent him down from Katsan."

"What are you going to call it?" Monica's forehead wrinkled prettily.

"Peter!" she declared with sudden emphasis.

"That's my name."

The Commissioner swung around in his chair and smiled blandly at Monica.

Monica rose suddenly and made for the door. On the threshold she stopped and glanced back over her shoulder.

"Are you going to be frightfully busy, Mr. Pennington?" she asked.

"Because I've thousands of things to talk to you about when John's finished with you."

Pennington turned presently and saw her brother regarding him curiously.

"I imagine you want to marry Monica," he suggested bluntly.

Pennington's eyes widened as he set like an Oriental's on his youthful countenance, disappeared behind their diagonal slits.

"And supposing I do?"

There was something in the ring of his voice that suggested he feared opposition on the part of the Commissioner of Police himself; but Hewitt shot from his chair and dropped both hands on the younger man's shoulders.

"Pennington, old son," he declared, "there's nothing on this earth that I'd like better."

"Thanks," said the other huskily.

"What are my chances, d'you think?"

"If you ask me my opinion, I should say you've as much likelihood of being successful as any man on the island. Why don't you ask her?"

Pennington waved a hand in front of him as if to dispel a mist that had suddenly arisen.

"You sent for me because your territory was over-run by the Yellow Seven gang. The instant I embarked on my investigations, I realized that your leader—Chai-Hung—was the toughest nut I had yet set out to crack."

"I swore to myself never to submit my proposal until I had finally run Chai-Hung to earth."

"Well," he declared, "you accomplished what you set out to do. You caught Chai-Hung in his own trap. The Governor thanked you personally. What more do you want?"

Pennington dropped wearily into a chair.

"I'm not satisfied," he told him. "My contract was to get the blighter dead or alive. I did neither. I couldn't. I had a horde of his ruffians at my heels and young Brabazon to get out of the scrape into which he'd tumbled. Brabazon took my pistol and kept him off, while I threw Chai-Hung into the death-chamber. It was full of poisonous fumes, I'll admit, and I doubt if a fly could have lived in it; but I'd have given everything I possessed to see that villainous face composed for its last sleep."

"You ignore the importance of circumstantial evidence," said Hewitt. "That was a month ago. There hasn't been a single outrage since. And every Chinaman on the island went into mourning. That's good enough for me, and it ought to be good enough for you."

"Ah!" commented Chinese Pennington, still unconvinced. "Have you any idea where they buried him?"

The Commissioner shook his head.

"Have you?"

"No. That's the devil of it. I've been wandering from place to place in my usual elaborate disguise, trying to find out. Don't you see my point?"

Hewitt sat back in his chair.

"It's deuced odd," he admitted. "Look at it another way, for Brabazon, Pennington, 'Chai-Hung' was a celebrity. Wouldn't you think they'd stick up a monument over his last resting-place instead of keeping the whole affair a dead secret?"

The Commissioner brought both hands up to the arms of his chair.

"I don't quite know what to think," he said slowly. "If Chai-Hung's dead, as I honestly believe he is, there's precious little left to worry about. On the other hand, if he managed somehow to get out of the death trap he'd set for Brabazon, it's a damned serious proposition."

He rose to his feet and began pacing the room. "The responsibility of my position here at this moment's getting on my nerves," he complained presently. "I can't help realizing that the safety of every white man, woman and child depends on the accuracy of my deductions with regard to these gang-murders."

"In which case," put in Pennington quietly, "wouldn't it be better to make sure?"

Hewitt swung around on his heel.

"How?" he demanded.

"Get in touch with his agent—Lien-Yin. Tell him that at all costs

he must furnish you with every proof that Chai-Hung is dead."

The Commissioner pressed the bell. "It's a hell of a nuisance," he announced somewhat testily, "and I'm only going through with it for your sake and Monica's."

Pennington closed the door after him and strolled toward where Mrs. Viney was sitting, the Siamese cat curled up fast asleep in her lap. A chair—a long cane affair, with cushions—was tucked up to her, and she was leaning back, her feet, for the very proximity of the thing thrilled him and he accepted the invitation it offered.

"You wanted to talk to me," he ventured at length.

The girl regarded him thoughtfully.

"Yes," she admitted. "I want you to tell me what I ought to do. It seems so dreadful not to have some definite object in life. It's been there upon me rather forcibly lately that I'm not doing anything for anybody. I'm supposed to be keeping house for my brother. He looked after himself very well before I came out. The truth is—I'd nowhere else to go. I interfere with his work; he's perpetually anxious for my safety, and he's seriously exasperated as to my future. She picked up her feet and yawned behind it. "Things can't go on like this forever, can they?"

"I suppose not," agreed Pennington, inwardly cursing his luck that prevented him voicing what to him, at that moment, was an amazingly simple solution.

"There's only one thing for it," continued Monica desperately. "I've got to get married!"

Pennington crimsoned to the roots of his ruffled hair.

"Married!" he echoed blankly.

"I suppose you're going to tell me that I've had one husband already and ought to be satisfied with that."

"I wasn't."

"Swear to me that you didn't even think it."

"I swear," said Pennington, recovering himself somewhat. "To tell the unvarnished truth, I was wondering—"

"Who the victim was to be? That's just what I wanted to talk to you about. I've received a proposal of marriage!"

She paused to observe the effect of her statement upon her brother, but she could only see the few unsteady hairs that sprouted up at the back of his head, just where the irregular parting ended.

"Verbal!" he inquired with exaggerated disinterestedness.

"No," he writing. Would you like to see it?"

"Good Lord, no!"

He turned toward her, his boyish face twisted into an expression of horrified amazement.

"Oh, wouldn't have shown it to any man but you, you see, I don't regard you as an ordinary fellow."

"What's his name?" asked Pennington grimly.

"It begins with a 'D,' she volunteered wickedly.

"Dawson!"

"He didn't say it was Dawson!" She looked down at her finger. "Would you advise me to marry him?" she continued innocently.

"Great heavens, Mrs. Viney! Why do you ask me that? Why not consult your brother, a woman friend, anyone but me?"

Thirty seconds later, the brain-strained had passed and he found himself on the threshold of his own room at the Commissioner's bungalow.

As he slammed the door after him, she only thought that came to offer consolation and comfort to her brother. It had somehow crept in before he knew and he almost trod on it before he was aware that it was there. He rescued it gently and placed it on the folded blanket at the foot of his bed.

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AT THE MOVIES
AT THE CAPITOL
The atmosphere of the small town is admirably caught in a present-day Vitaphone super-feature, "Masters of Men," which will be shown at the Capitol Theatre tonight. The story, a thrilling drama of life at sea, weaves a pretty love story through it which has a background a little village. Alice Callahan and William Hawley play the old-fashioned parts and Earle Williams and Cullen Landis the principal male roles.

THE ELLINGE

A picture representing the most ambitious work of Richard Barthelmess has yet made for the screen is coming to the Elling Theatre, Wednesday and Thursday. It is the film version of Joseph Hergesheimer's tremendously popular story, "Bright Shawl," dealing with the days of Spanish oppression in Cuba.

In order to obtain the proper atmosphere, a large part of the story was filmed in Cuba.

Social and Personal

RETURN TO CITY
Mrs. Harold Hopton, who has been in New York taking a post-graduate course in nervous and mental diseases at the New York Neurological Institute, has returned to Bismarck. Mr. Hopton met her in Chicago and they visited his parents in Marquette, Illinois, before returning to Bismarck.

HONOR MISS MICKELSON.
Twenty of the girls of the traffic office of the local telephone company had a surprise party and miscellaneous shower last evening at the home of Mrs. H. C. Sauer in honor of Miss Marguerite Mickelson, supervisor of the telephone office. The marriage of Miss Mickelson will take place in August.

LOEBE-GALLOWAY MARRIAGE
Announcement is made of the marriage of Mrs. Marie Loeb and F. E. Galloway, accountant for the state highway commission at Detroit, Minnesota, July 23. Mr. and Mrs. Galloway have returned to the city after spending several days at Pettibone lodge, Shoreham, Minnesota.

MRS. BOBB RETURNS
Mrs. Emil Bobb who has spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Holzer at Strausburg, has returned to her home. Mr. Bobb who joined her Sunday stated that there was not so much rust at Linton as at Strausburg, while the rust did a good deal of damage at Zeeland.

TO VISIT MRS. PATTERSON.
Mrs. C. G. Conyne of Mandan, left yesterday for Chicago, Ill., for a visit with her sister, Mrs. E. G. Patterson, who is under medical treatment in Chicago. Before returning Mrs. Conyne will visit with another sister in LaCrosse, Wis., and spend a few days with relatives in Elgin, Ill.

STENOGRAPHERS ON VACATION
Misses Rose Moynier and Caroline Peterson, stenographers to the judges of the supreme court, have gone to Minneapolis, Minn., for a short visit. After leaving here Miss Moynier will go to her home which is near Minneapolis and Miss Peterson to her home at Pembina.

VISITING THORBERG HOME
Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Clerk of Waukegan, S. D., are guests at the home of their daughter, Mrs. E. A. Thorberg for a couple of weeks. They have just completed a trip to the Shrine Convention in Washington, D. C., and have been touring in Ohio and Kentucky.

HERE FOR LUCAS FUNERAL.
Mrs. Mayne Malloy, clerk at Lucas's, who has been enjoying her vacation with relatives at Garrison, was in Bismarck yesterday to attend the funeral of A. W. Lucas. Jack Hinton and family of Mandan were also over for the funeral.

TO CALIFORNIA
Mrs. L. B. Wellence of Chicago, Ill., who arrived Sunday and her mother, Mrs. Catharine Boyle left this morning for Watsonville, Calif., for an indefinite visit with Mrs. Boyle's daughter, Mrs. M. H. Ferris.

RETURNS TO HOME.
Miss Edna Jones, teacher at Killdeer, who has been the guest of Miss Hannah Engesth and Mrs. T. Salvin returned to her home this morning at Grafton.

HERE FOR FUNERAL.
Mrs. George Helling of Mandan, was in Bismarck yesterday to attend the funeral of A. W. Lucas. She was accompanied by Mrs. Ben Homan and son, who had been visiting with her.

RETURNS FROM BUYING TRIP.
George Berges of Webb Bros. department store has returned from the east, where he has been selecting goods for the dry goods department at Webb Bros.

Miss Zella Harris, who has been attending the University of Minnesota, is the house guest of Miss Margaret Postlewaite, friend and classmate in the Bismarck high school. She will spend a month here.

VISITING MRS. CHRISTIANSON.
Judge A. M. Christianson of the supreme court is enjoying a short visit with Mrs. Christianson and family at the home of her parents in Towner.

RETURN FROM PARK
Miss Margaret Wynkoop and Catherine Bleth have returned from the Yellowstone National Park where they spent the past two weeks.

RETURNS FROM VISIT
Mrs. Harry Homan and daughter, Peggie, have returned from a month's visit with Mrs. Homan's relatives at Randolph, Minn.

PASS THROUGH
A. A. Ludwig and family of Ashley passed through Bismarck yesterday on their return from a trip to Yellowstone park.

HERE ON A VISIT
Mrs. Elizabeth J. Hoy of Stillwater, Minn., arrives tonight to spend an indefinite time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Harry G. Orr.

ENTERS HOSPITAL
Val G. Swan left last night for Minneapolis, Minn., to enter the veteran's hospital for medical treatment.

MRS. BRADLEY IMPROVING
Mrs. A. F. Bradley who has been ill at the Bismarck hospital will return to her home tomorrow.

JUDGE ON SHORT VACATION
Judge H. A. Bronson has gone to East Grand Forks, Minn., for a short vacation trip.

BUSINESS CALLED.
R. F. Stromberg of Steele, and Reddy Golden of Raub were business callers today.

More Color, More Oriental Designs For Fall



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The orient is again an inspiration for design and color, though this season it is not Egypt that is the source.

Novel designs from Persia, India, China, India, Algiers, French Mad-

agascar and Guiana are stamping materials that make the new styles. Colors more exotic than ever, styles with a flare and a flourish, make the new fall mode a thing of beauty and a joy to wear.

VISITING DAUGHTER
Mrs. Carrie Hedine of New Richmond, Wis., is visiting her daughter, Norena Hedine, of this city.

REPORTED IMPROVING
Marion Folsom who has been very ill for the past week is reported to be improving.

LEAVES FOR DULUTH
W. J. Bennett left today by automobile for a visit in Duluth and Superior.

HERE ON LEGAL BUSINESS
Former Judge Graham of Ellendale was here on legal business yesterday.

Miss Alma Anderson of Rose Glet, visited and shopped here today.

Forest M. Davis of McClusky was a visitor in Bismarck today.

H. R. Ringene of New Salem was a city visitor yesterday.

Alex R. Hill of Wing, was a city caller today.

NEWS BRIEFS

Mr. Dahl Improving
C. M. Dahl who has been very ill for some time past is reported improving.

Parents of Girl
Dr. and Mrs. C. D. Dursema are the parents of a baby girl born this morning at the St. Alexius hospital.

Mrs. French Leaves Hospital
Mrs. J. P. French who underwent a serious operation at the Bismarck hospital a short time ago has returned to her home.

Bismarck Hospital
Marion Henderscheid, Center, Carmen Windmiller, city, and Master Robert Guenther, city have entered the Bismarck hospital for treatment.

Miss Elsie Krauth, Hebron, John Schwenzer, Fredonia, Miss Mary McGogg, Ashley, Aba Tolchinsky, city, B. Jacobson, Arena, Mrs. J. P. French, city, and Alfred Johnson, York have been discharged from the hospital.

SCOUTS WRITE OF EXPERIENCES

"Thursday, July 26.—Today the Eagle Scouts of Fargo and Bismarck stayed in Hyattville. On waking up in the morning we found Mr. Walstrom and the others back from Box with the repairs. Three fellows fixed the truck before breakfast, and brought the truck to town. Reports were out that the Big Horn River was out of its banks, and rising, so we stayed in town on that day, the fellows writing letters, washing clothes, and doing other domestic necessities. In the afternoon the fellows went to an old hunter's cabin and saw several bear and beaver skins. Supper consisted of chicken, noodles, brown potatoes, all donated by hospitable citizens of Hyattville. The fellows hardly needed any breakfast the next morning. After supper 125 of the 150 population collected in the town hall, and we gave a mixed program, everyone enjoying himself.

"Friday, July 27.—An early start was made out of Hyattville. We got stalled, had a little car trouble near Manderson, and had breakfast there. Dinner was eaten at Basin, and after stocking up we drove to Cody. The post-office was closed, but with a little cooperation one of the citizens got it open, and several of the fellows got letters that were waiting for them. We drove out of Cody into the beautiful Shoshone Canyon. It began to get dark, so we pitched camp a few yards from the Shoshone river, and had supper. Some of the fellows went up to see the dam after supper and the rest hit the dust for a good sleep.

—Bruce Wallace, A. S. M. Troop 1, Bismarck.

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NOTICE!
Continue boiling city water. City Health Officer.

FALL STYLES ARE ARRIVING

Show Effects of Designing of Fifty Years Ago and Chinese Work

The most striking features of the early fall dresses arriving at local shops are the effects of Chinese styles and coloring; in the early fall hats: poke shapes and two-tone shades of coloring are the most noticeable changes.

Probably the most noticeable thing in fall dresses is their reversion to styles of fifty years ago—bustles or appendages of that type of dressing and flounces may be seen in the chic fall gowns which are on display. One of the most dashing fall garments shown was a satin gown of distinctly Harem and trouser effect. In fall dresses the point twill in blue appears as popular as last year.

For ornamentation it has braiding or buttons, the braid and silk work being used to outline the Chinese designs in peculiar oriental styles of red, blue, and gray, or other colors. Some of the long line effects are still popular while the coat like suit styles, designed from the Chinese robes is one of the newest. Large ornamental buckles continue to beautify the garments.

In silks the crepes continue popular while satin backed crepes and satins are among the newest. All colors appear to be good in these, blue, brown, black and green appearing as leaders. Long sleeves and long sleeves, wide cuffs with buttons ornamenting them, are conspicuous in fall styles.

The bustle effects on the dresses are quite charming—little plait-like affairs that give only a hint of their ancestry. The wide flounce that appears on some of the woolsens as well as the silk appears very charming although brought forth from ancient drapery. The moire silk is popular again this year, and some heading on silks continues stylish.

As an opposite extreme to the little poke bonnets are large picture hats, and even large poke bonnets. Their greatest beauty consists in the brilliant colors of the velvet and silk from which they are made, and the many beautiful pieces of hand-made frills and flowers from silks and hand painted ornaments that appear on the hats.

The coats have some resemblance to those of last year—the uneven skirt line continues, and brown, blue, and black are popular shades. While fur appears on some of the more expensive ones, less fur seems to be used than last year. Crushed plush appears to be very popular in material.

SLAYER IN SELF DEFENSE
GIVEN NINE MONTHS TERM
Fessenden, N. D., July 31.—Peter Jovis, Greed section hand of Bowdon, N. D., pleading guilty to slaying a countryman, Peter Pantelis, but claiming the act was in self defense, was sentenced by Judge J. A. Coffey to serve nine months in jail. Jovis asserted that during a fight with Pantelis on June 1, last, he was attacked twice, hit with a shovel, and that he managed to save himself only by striking his assailant on the head with a crowbar.

DIES AT HOME.
Wilton, N. D., July 31.—Joseph Bzowyj, aged 69, died Wednesday morning, July 26, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Anton Kulackoski in Wilton.

Mr. Bzowyj was a farmer in the Mercer district until about two months ago when he came to Wilton to make his home with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Kulackoski.

SPORT HATS
Sport hats of yellow or orange colored felt are bound with brown gros-grain ribbon and trimmed with cockades of the same.

THE ASQUITHS



Above is Margot Asquith as she appeared at a very recent pageant at Oxford in which she played Queen Beza. Below is her daughter, Princesses Asquith, who is the Rumanian minister, as she appeared at the day to visit her mother in England.

Around the World With One Suit Case! And A Woman at That

By George Britt
NEA Service Writer
Chicago, July 31.—Nelly Bly's old record of around the world in eighty days was smashed early and often. Clair Eugenia Smith, prima donna millonair, is off to set a new record, one harder for a woman to make and likely to stand longer. It is to go around the world with baggage reduced to a single suitcase.

One plain, black suitcase without trick extensions or evasions, will contain her whole wardrobe for the trip, with the exception of the cloak she carries on her arm. The outfit includes two sport suits, eight lightweight dresses, shoes and trilly necessities, two panama hats and a toothbrush, comb and mirror. Jewelry is similarly reduced to one ring, one wrist watch and one necklace.

Only Necessaries
The outfit represents the absolute minimum of a veteran traveler. When articles wear out, new ones will be bought. In Japan she may wear a kimono and in Turkey, a veil.

Mrs. Smith is the wife of William E. Smith, who recently inherited \$10,000,000 from his mother. Smith and three others complete the party, and the five, in light marching order, have only five traveling bags. "I know all about baggage," says the owner of the suitcase, stopping here on the first lap of the journey from New York.

Ah, So That's It!
"I've traveled with a dozen trunks, and I know the penalty one pays for that. I started to Europe last summer with two trunks and a big bag. But I left the trunks at the first stop on the way. When I get back to Paris on the way home, I'll have the excuse to lay in a wardrobe of new clothes."

To prove her faith in the baggage-less tour, Mrs. Smith in Chicago offered to take here Miss Margie McLeod, music critic here, provided she wouldn't carry any extra luggage.

DIVORCE COURT IDLE IN NORTH

Married Couples Loyal To "Till Death Do Us Part" Vows

Ottawa, Ont., July 31.—Marriages in Canada are successful, and families still are loyal to the "till death do us part" tradition. Divorces granted in the Dominion numbered only 544 in 1922, or two-thirds of one percent of all the marriages contracted, according to a report just compiled by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

Based on population, the report shows, divorces numbered seven to every 100,000 persons. Divorces in the United States, according to official figures for the last year on record, numbered 12 to every 100,000 people. "The 1922 figures," says the report, "probably indicate that the wave of divorce due to the war has reached its highest point and is now on the decline. Total divorces granted last year showed a reduction of four percent as compared with 1921. The remarkably low percent of Canadian homes and institutions."

Of the total divorces granted, husbands received 316, or about 60 percent and wives 228, or about 40 percent. British Columbia led in divorces issued, with 138, followed by Alberta with 129 and Manitoba with 97. One province, Prince Edward Island granted no divorces. Only one divorce has been granted in this province since 1868, and that was in 1922.

The greater percent of the divorced were residents of cities. Comparatively few applications were made among the agricultural population.

BROCADED GEORGETTE
Effective frocks of velvet brocade of georgette crepe are trimmed only with a front drapery and a large bow of the material placed directly in front.

FLORAL DESIGNS
Black velvets for fall and winter are frequently headed in large floral designs in natural colors or in border designs in a combination of brilliant tones.

PLEATED CAPES
The accordion pleated cape is the easiest thing in the world to make and is one of the smartest accessories at the present time.

CONVENIENT DRAPERIES
Many of the draperies on the French gowns are detachable and may be adjusted at will or discarded entirely, according to the whim of the wearer.

PAINTED DESIGNS
Painted designs in vivid colors adorn some of the smart sport costumes made of heavy, plain crepe.

RED EVEN BY NIGHT
Mules of bright red leather are worn with the pajamas of printed silk that are so popular now.

MEDIUM BROWN HAIR looks best of all after a Golden Glist Shampoo.

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MRS. SMITH AND HER "BAGGAGE"

Mrs. Smith appeared as prima donna last spring in grand opera in Philadelphia, and upon her return to America she says she intends to make a new attempt to establish a native opera theater in New York.

WHEN A JUDGE ERRS
London, July 31.—Justice Bray had assisted many in making their wills during the years he practiced law. But his own will, when admitted to probate, was found faulty.

WELL, WAR'S OVER
Berlin, July 31.—British postage stamps are replacing the mark in many business transactions. Workmen especially are purchasing them, a survey discloses.

MANY VISIT STATE MILL
Grand Forks, N. D., July 31.—The visitors' book at the state mill and elevator here shows that the plant was visited by nearly 1,700 people during the month of July. During the week of the state fair the plant was especially popular, 1,204 people having been guided through it during the week.

CONDUCTS OWN DEFENSE
Paris, July 31.—M. Ebelot, one of those charged with assaulting M. Caillaux, is conducting his own defense in his trial. He argues that Caillaux, he thought it a good thing to chastise Caillaux as an "enemy" of his country. He swore he had no intention to kill him.

NEW NECKLACES
Short necklaces of large, round beads that fit closely about the neck are very fashionable now, particularly in cut and uncut amber.

COUE BRACELET
The new Coue bracelet has 20 crystal beads and a gold charm engraved with a decorative monogram or a conventional design.

ATTRACTIVE SLIP
Half inch bands of silver ribbon finish the pink satin undergarment worn under an organdie frock of delicate blue, with pink roses appliqued on the surface.

SPORT HATS
The Deauville scarf having been greatly overdone earlier in the season is scarcely seen now about the shoulders, but it is still liked as a trimming for the sport hat.

TIERED SKIRT
The tiered skirt is being successfully combined with the bolero jacket and the blouse of printed silk in the fashionable tailormades.

FANCY BAG
A charming bag for a bridemaid or for use at a summer garden party is one of pale pink silk with many pink organdie flowers.

RUFFLES POPULAR
Ruffles of pleating seen on dresses and blouses are growing wider as they grow more numerous. Even jersey costumes are showing them.

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TROTSKY BUSY DAY AND NIGHT

Moscow, July 31.—Since Premier Lenin became seriously ill, Leon Trotsky, Soviet Russia's War Commissar, has become the foremost figure in the Soviet Government. He has no working day. Every workman, laborer, or employee in Soviet Russia has an 8-hour working day conspicuously looked after by the Trade Union Council and guarded by the Labor Code. But Trotsky has none. His working day is much over 8 hours and as regards time, day and night are treated alike.

Trotsky begins his day with the newspapers. They serve him as a means of every day human connection and business information. He reads them just as he would listen to a report by one of his officers and very often the newspaper information is followed by quick interpretations and action.

Very often a news telegram, a reporter's item, or a quite uninteresting interview paves the road for an important decision. Then at various times during the day and night, Trotsky reads and dictates.

OPENS OFFICE
Attorney Chester A. Marr now has his office in the Hoskins Block, rooms 11 and 12. He was in the active practice of law for ten years before entering the Attorney General's office as

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E. H. Jamison, Walker, Mo., says: "I was a victim of Asthma for about 3 years and after taking two bottles of McCullin's Formula I felt like a new man. It's the best medicine for Asthma I ever used. If you suffer from Asthma or Hay Fever try McCullin's Formula and you'll know why so many people praise it. Just fine for building up run down people, for colds, bronchial troubles, weak lungs, coughs. Used as a germicide and preventive against germ diseases. Mfrd. only by Tilden McCullin Co., Sealed, Mo. For sale by Lenhart Drug Co.

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SPORTS

REDS WHALE
PHILLIES IN
TWO CONTESTS

Move up to Second Place
Again when Pittsburgh
Divides with New York

Chicago, July 31.—The Cincinnati Reds, playing on their own lot, climbed back to second place in the National League by defeating Philadelphia in a double-header while the New York Nationals split a double-header with Pittsburgh. In two close-fought games the Reds just managed to come out on top, winning 7 to 5 and 5 to 4.

The Giants playing in Pittsburgh lost their first game, 5 to 4, but won the second, 7 to 2.

In the American League the leaders also took a step backward. Although the New York Yankees won from Chicago, 5 to 3, the Cleveland Americans took a double-header from Boston and crept up half a game. They won, 5 to 4, and 2 to 0.

In Philadelphia, St. Louis won the first game, 5 to 3, and the second game, 4 to 2.

The Brooklyn Nationals downed the St. Louis Cardinals in St. Louis, 6 to 5. The Boston Nationals just squeezed out ahead of the Chicago Cubs in Chicago, winning 6 to 5.

In the nation's capital the senatorial team of the American League made one run in the first inning and held just that one all the way through. Walter Johnson was the winning pitcher. The second game of a scheduled double-header was called off on account of rain.

FIRPO WOULD
PUT OFF HIS
NEXT FIGHT

Would Like to Wait a Year
Before Meeting Jack
Dempsey, He Says

Omaha, July 31.—Although Luis Angel Firpo, Argentine, heavyweight champion contender, would prefer to postpone his September 14 New York meeting with Champion Jack Dempsey until some time next year, he will not request a change from that date, he told The Associated Press late yesterday, through his secretary, G. Wilmer.

Firpo will be in New York soon to start training for the bout, he declared.

Firpo is in Omaha training for his 10-round bout with Homer Smith, Kalamazoo, Mich., heavyweight, here next Friday night.

"While I would much prefer to wait until next year," the Argentine fighter declared through his secretary, "I would not consider asking Mr. Rickard to postpone the date. I will keep my contract as I always have done."

According to Alfred Mayer, political correspondent for the Buenos Aires La Nacion and close friend of the South American battler, Firpo has shown rapid improvement in his fighting ability since coming to America and due to this fact Firpo wished a few more bouts under his belt. Such experience, Firpo believes to be worth more than a strenuous and long period of training.

Secretary Wilmer denied a statement which appeared in an Omaha paper to the effect that "Tex Rickard was pushing things." He also states that he believes Firpo to be the logical opponent for Dempsey because of his record since coming to the United States.

NO POSTPONEMENT.

New York, July 31.—Luis Angel Firpo's wish, expressed at Omaha yesterday that his fight with Jack Dempsey for the heavyweight championship of the world, might be postponed for a year, will not be realized, Tex Rickard, promoter of the match said last night.

"Dempsey and Firpo positively will meet on September 14 at the Polo Grounds, as originally announced by me," he said. "There will absolutely be no postponement."

FORKS MAN IN
LEAD IN STATE
TENNIS MATCH

Grand Forks, N. D., July 31.—J. W. Wilkerson of Grand Forks, veteran tennis player of North Dakota, advanced to the semi-final round in the singles event for the state championship in the opening play of the twentieth annual tournament of the North Dakota association yesterday.

W. M. Elton, also of Grand Forks, present titleholder, disposed of two opponents in straight sets. All of the favorites came through without trouble.

The doubles events also got under way in the Red River Valley open event. John Hancock of Chicago, Michigan, has arrived and was on the courts.

MINOT WINS
IN EXHIBITION

Minot, July 31.—Minot defeated Jamestown, 5 to 3, in an exhibition game here yesterday. Lister pitched the victory, while Napoli and Wingfield were the batsmen for Jamestown.

"Shea and Shea," Calls Ump In Announcing Batteries



MARVIN AND ELMER SHEA.

By NEA Service.

Sacramento, Calif., July 31.—Several families boast of brothers in professional baseball.

Some brag of brothers in the majors — witness the O'Neills and Meusels, and until recently the Bigbees and Johnstons.

The Cleveland Indians have two brothers on the same team—the Sewells, Joe and Luke.

But the Shea family of Stockton, near here, boasts of two brothers not only playing on the same club, but forming a battery.

Elmer (Specs) Shea has been one of the most dependable right handers

in the Pacific Coast League in the three seasons he has been playing with Sacramento.

Now, his brother, Marvin, is looming up at the other end of the battery. Taken on for a trial late last season, he is still being carried as a backstop, and as a relief catcher and hitter. Brother Marvin takes his chest protector off to no youngster in Class AA baseball.

"Specs" Shea earned his nickname because he wears 'em, even while he's playing. And when he has his glasses shined up and his brother, Marvin, back of the plate, the show is wonderful to behold.

DON'T MEASURE STAR BY STRIKEOUTS

Jeff Pfeffer, Veteran Pitcher, Proves Truth Of That Theory

By BILLY EVANS.

A right arm that is in its tenth year of major league service that has never been afflicted with a kink and has only once been below the 500 mark hangs from Edward Pfeffer's 200-pound frame.

"Just a little common sense in the spring and in the summer," is the prescription presented by the giant right-hander, now a member of the St. Louis Cardinals' staff.

Pfeffer engages in physical training in the spring at least two weeks before he attempts to twist a curve. Pfeffer exerts himself only in a pinch. Strikeouts mean nothing to him. He works on the theory that he has eight other players to help him.

In other words Pfeffer advises: "Don't wear yourself out on each batter. Mix 'em up and don't call upon all of your power and strength until they have you where you have to keep them from scoring one run.

Works on His Batter.

"I keep them away from the batter's favorite spot with slow curves and only an occasional fast one. The arm cannot stand the strain of one fast ball after another. At least that's my theory and although I have just passed my 34th birthday my arm feels as good as it did the first day I arrived in the big league."

Pfeffer, by pitching winning ball for nine straight years and starting the present season with six victories and one defeat, is considered one of the stars of the National League. It must not be forgotten that he has passed over the line of youth several years ago, yet he has not lost his effectiveness.

His trade to the St. Louis Cardinals during the summer of 1921 proves the uncertainty of baseball marketing. Branch Rickey, always

a fond admirer of Pfeffer as a pitcher, dickered with the Superbas and eventually landed him, but paid Ferdinand Schupp and Harold Janvrin.

Rickey Made Good Trade.

When the exchange was completed it looked as if the Superbas had the edge as Schupp was pitching winning ball and Janvrin was a valuable utility player. Rickey, however, expressed himself as being perfectly satisfied with his bargain.

Pfeffer, in 1922, won 19 games and lost 12, ranking seventh in the league. Schupp and Janvrin have passed down to the minors.

The only season Pfeffer failed to win more games than he lost was in 1917 when his record showed 11 victories and 15 defeats. His pitching total includes 141 victories and 94 defeats up to this season.

Pfeffer was born at Seymour, Ill., March 4, 1889, and after serving one season with Grand Rapids in 1913, advanced to the major circuit.

Puzzling Plays

By Billy Evans

THE PLAY

Here is a play in which the calling of a balk, the failure of the pitcher to heed the call and the action of the batter in hitting the ball caused trouble.

There is a runner on first. The pitcher, after several efforts to catch him napping, pulls a move which the umpire rules a balk.

The pitcher failed to heed the call of balk or ignored it, for he delivered the ball to the batsman. The batsman knew the umpire had called a balk, but when the pitcher delivered

the ball, hit for three bases, scoring the runner from first.

When the umpire first ruled the move a balk the catcher started to protest the ruling. After the batsman had hit for three bases he called the umpire's attention to the fact that he had called the move a balk.

What should have been done?

THE INTERPRETATION

The moment the umpire ruled the move by the pitcher a balk, play was suspended. What happened after the umpire so ruled was of no concern.

The pitcher's delivering the ball, and the batter's hitting it for three bases, had no bearing on the game. The runner, who was on first, was merely entitled to advance to second, while the batsman should have been made to hit over again.

MEETING AT
JAMESTOWN IS
POSTPONED

Club Officials May Meet This
Afternoon to Consider
Affairs of League

The meeting which was to have been held in Jamestown yesterday afternoon to consider whether or not the North Dakota State Baseball League would finish the season was postponed until today because of the non-arrival of Herbert Hester of Minot. It will be held this afternoon.

The Bismarck baseball club left here this morning for Jamestown, and will play there this afternoon.

Buck Taylor, local pitcher and favorite of two years ago, was released. Taylor's arm has gone back on him. He is going to his home in Wisconsin and consult physicians. He may go on to Ohio to see "Bone-Setter" Reese, famous baseball "arm doctor."

Jamestown, N. D., July 31.—The meeting of North Dakota State Baseball League officials here to consider league affairs had not been held at noon today, because of the arrival of Herbert Hester of Minot.

WILLS WANTS
DEMPSEY BOUT

New York, July 31.—Harry Wills, negro aspirant for the heavyweight boxing title, and his manager, Paddy Mullins, appeared today before the state athletic commission to demand that Jack Dempsey be compelled to defend his title against Wills before meeting Luis Angel Firpo. The commission reserved decision.

STANDINGS

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION			
	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Paul	58	34	.630
Kansas City	58	34	.630
Louisville	51	45	.531
Columbus	45	44	.506
Milwaukee	45	51	.469
Indianapolis	45	51	.469
Minneapolis	39	54	.419
Toledo	33	63	.344

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	65	30	.684
Cleveland	52	36	.591
St. Louis	49	44	.523
Detroit	44	46	.489
Chicago	45	48	.484
Philadelphia	42	51	.452
Washington	41	61	.446
Boston	34	57	.374

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	62	34	.646
Cincinnati	59	36	.621
Pittsburgh	58	38	.617
Chicago	50	42	.543
Brooklyn	48	45	.516
St. Louis	48	49	.495
Philadelphia	29	65	.309
Boston	26	69	.274

RESULTS

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION
Kansas City 7; Louisville 4.
Minneapolis 5; Toledo 8.
Others not scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE
New York 5; Chicago 3.
Cleveland 5-2; Boston 4-0.
Washington 1; Detroit 0.
St. Louis 5-4; Philadelphia 2-2.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
New York 4-7; Pittsburgh 5-2.
Philadelphia 5-4; Cincinnati 7-5.
Brooklyn 6; St. Louis 5.
Boston 6; Chicago 5.

Commissioners
Hold Session

Williston, N. D., July 31.—The county commissioners were continually in session from July 2 to July 18, as a large volume of business comes before the board during the July session. They acted as a board of equalization during the greater part of this time, fixing and adjusting the valuations of real and personal property between the various townships. The lowest per acre land valuation was fixed at \$6 and the highest at \$16. The valuations of horses, cattle, sheep and hogs and other farm personal property was also fixed by the equalization board under chapter 189 of the 1923 session laws.

During the recent session the board estimated the amounts that will be required to operate the different county offices for the coming year. The estimate presents a grand total to be raised for the county revenue fund of \$173,979. The board will meet again on July 31 to consider any transfer which has any complaint to make in regard to the levies made on the assessed expenditures will be heard.

Spain's famous bullfights are suffering from trade union strikes and "rings."

THE POINT
OF
CONTACT

There's a simple catch in the familiar phrase that tells how the world beats a path to the door of the man who makes a better mouse-trap.

The maker of anything, if he is to win the plaudits of the world, must not only manufacture a superior product, but must also let folks know of his achievements. He must point out just why his mouse-trap, his automobile or his shaving cream is better than his neighbor's. He must advertise.

Advertising is the point of contact between the man who makes something and the man who wants something. Through an advertisement, a manufacturer can tell you in a few short minutes all you want to know about the article or the service he has to offer.

This newspaper is constantly full of ideas that other men and women have thought out for your personal benefit. Fail to read the advertisements and you remain in ignorance of countless products that would make life easier, happier and more interesting for you and your entire family.

Advertising gives you news of the latest and best things made — with word as to what they will do, what they cost and where to get them. Think of all you miss when you overlook the advertisements.

Read Them
Regularly—Every Day

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

HELP WANTED—MALE

YOUNG MAN—wanted to work by the month. Francis Jaskowik. 421 12th Street. 7-26-1f

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

"We register teachers for all school positions. Immediate service. No charges to school boards, only 1 per cent to teachers. Cooperative Teachers' Exchange, 556 Temple Court, Minneapolis, Minnesota. 7-30-3w

WANTED—Housekeeper on farm two miles from postoffice. Two in family. Write R. B. McWilliams, Timmer, N. Dak. 7-30-3t

WANTED—Competent girl for general housework. Call Mrs. Burt Finney. Phone 717. 7-27-1f

WANTED—Night cook. Apply at Minute Lunch. 7-31-3t

FOR SALE OR RENT

HOUSES AND FLATS
FOR SALE—Look and act promptly. Four-room partly modern house, including two bedrooms, fine basement, water, lights, sewer, small barn, with three lots enclosed, and garden, for \$1,750, on terms. Party leaving city and immediate possession given. Geo. M. Register. 7-30-1w

FOR SALE—Or will rent house if not sold, all furnished, including piano, ready to move in, two blocks from new school in west end; newly painted, inside and out; nice shade trees, maple floors downstairs, at a bargain; terms right. Phone 942-R. 7-28-1w

FOR RENT—House, five rooms and bath, strictly modern; very well located; till December 1st only; \$40 per month. Immediate possession. Fire insurance written in reliable companies. F. E. Young, First National Bank Bldg. Phone 78. 7-28-1w

FOR SALE—Modern six-room house, facing in Riverview, completed only last fall, a splendid house, \$5,600, \$1,600 cash, balance on monthly or other easy payments. F. E. Young, First National Bank Bldg. Phone 78. 7-28-1w

FOR RENT—Cozy apartment, with bath, furnished, modern, \$30.00; also sleeping room \$5 per week. Close in. Private entrances. Phone 464-R after 5 p. m. 7-25-1w

FOR SALE—House, brand new, five rooms and bath; full basement, everything complete; well located, \$4,000; \$800 cash, balance monthly payments. 7-30-1w

FOR RENT—To right parties modern furnished home in best residential district or will sell at liberal discount. Phone 877. 7-26-1w

FOR RENT—Six-room furnished flat. Also for sale solid oak library table. Phone 419. 7-21-1f

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment for short time in Rowe apartments, Flat K. 7-31-1t

FOR RENT—Apartment. See Griffith, at French & Welch Hdw Co. 7-30-3t

FOR RENT—Plats. Person Court. 7-30-3t

LAND

INVESTORS ATTENTION—Am selling my 320 acres at a sacrifice 9 miles west of town on the Circle Stage, 40 acres could be irrigated, 100 dry land balance pasture, 60 acres improved, fenced with fair buildings plenty outside range, price \$7.00 per acre. Write for particulars. Thos. Leard, Glendive, Mont. 7-31-5t

Watches and Jewelry Repaired
Twenty-five years experience as watchmaker and jeweler. I have opened up a jewelry store at 415 Broadway. Bring in anything in that line, I will be glad to give you the benefit of my experience. CHAS. LAMB. 7-28-1w

POSITION WANTED.

WANTED—Housekeeper desires position in good home or cooking during harvest. Write Tribune 600. 7-28-5t

ROOMS FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms, also modern unfurnished flat. Business College. Telephone 183. 7-18-1f

FOR RENT—A large front room suitable for two ladies or gentlemen, also a small sleeping room. \$10 Rosser, Phone 834-W. 7-28-3t

FOR RENT—1 modern well furnished East front room. Two gentlemen preferred. Telephone 832-R. 216-2 St. 7-28-3t

FOR RENT—Modern room, suitable for two ladies or gentlemen, 621 5th St. Phone 619-W. 7-30-3t

FOR RENT—Modern light housekeeping rooms. Private entrance, 421-3rd St. 7-30-3t

FOR RENT—Room suitable for young man, 223 4th St. Phone 928. 7-27-1w

FOR RENT—Furnished room, modern home. Call phone 1048. 7-31-3t

FOR RENT—Large room, suitable for two, 522 2nd St. 7-27-1w

AUTOMOBILE—MOTORCYCLES
FOR SALE—Three Dodge touring cars, 1921 and 1922 models, bought last fall—equipped with Rex Tops, heaters, motor-meters, front and rear bumpers, spare tires. All in A1 conditions—REAL BARGAINS. Phone 501. Interstate Transportation Co. 7-20-10t

FOR SALE—Ford Sedan 1920 model. Hastler shock absorbers. Large steering wheel, starter, demountable rims, five good tires. A bargain at \$375.00. Phone 872 after 6 P. M. 7-30-1w

FOR SALE—Dodge touring car, also electric grafonola, good as new, or will trade for city property, or as part payment on same. Mrs. E. A. Foley, Wilton, N. D. 7-28-1w

FOR SALE—Almost new Chevrolet roadster, several Fords, and Dodge roadster. Corwin Motor Co., Bismarck, N. D. 7-28-3t

FOR SALE—Overland, 90—touring \$150 cash. Am leaving town, must sell at once. Call 305 6th St. Phone 468-M. 7-28-4t

FOR SALE—Dodge Car. Early 1922 Model. In perfect condition. Inquire Bismarck Hide & Fur Company. 7-28-1w

MISCELLANEOUS

Drug Store for Sale in Northwestern North Dakota. Good Doctor, bumper crops, big territory, doing well business, building stock and fixtures valued \$25,000. Will sell \$5,000 with \$2,000 down balance easy payments. Ill health only reason for selling. Address Chas. Frank, Powers Lake, N. D. 7-14-3w

FOR SALE—One of the best paying and best located small businesses in the city; only \$500 will buy it; stock and fixtures are worth much more than that. Owner is sick and cannot attend to it. F. E. Young, First National Bank Bldg. Phone 78. 7-28-1w

FOR SALE—Avery tractor 25-5; Avery separator 32-54; \$800 buys this outfit which is worth much more; thresh bill on a big crop will pay for this right in one season; quick action necessary. Write or call, B. F. Lawyer, Wing, N. D. 7-31-1t

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Powerful 15-30 Twin City kerosene burning tractor, ready for work, can use small grain separator, J. Waldenberg, Steele, N. D. 7-27-5t

FOR SALE—Clean Hardware Stock in Grant Co. County Seat town. Good crops. \$450.00 stock. For particulars write Box 63 Carson, N. D. 7-30-1w

FOR SALE—Good power washing machine. Very handy for farm use if equipped with gasoline engine. Call at 320-2nd St. 7-30-3t

WANTED TO RENT—A wheel chair for a few weeks. Address Mrs. C. E. Crum, McKenzie, N. D. 7-28-3t

FOR SALE—Sanitary couch and other articles, 621 6th St. Phone 619-W. 7-30-3t

LOST—Stone, Martin War piece. Finder return to Tribune for reward. 7-30-1t

LOST—Saturday on National Park Highway between Jamestown and Bismarck small suit case containing various toilet articles. Finder leave at or notify No. 601 Tribune. 7-30-2t

FOR SALE OR TRADE—For residence property, improved 160, two and half miles from town. Excellent water, fertile soil, level, bromus and clover pastures. Splendid proposition. Chas. Ryder, owner, Pettibone, N. D. 7-31-1w

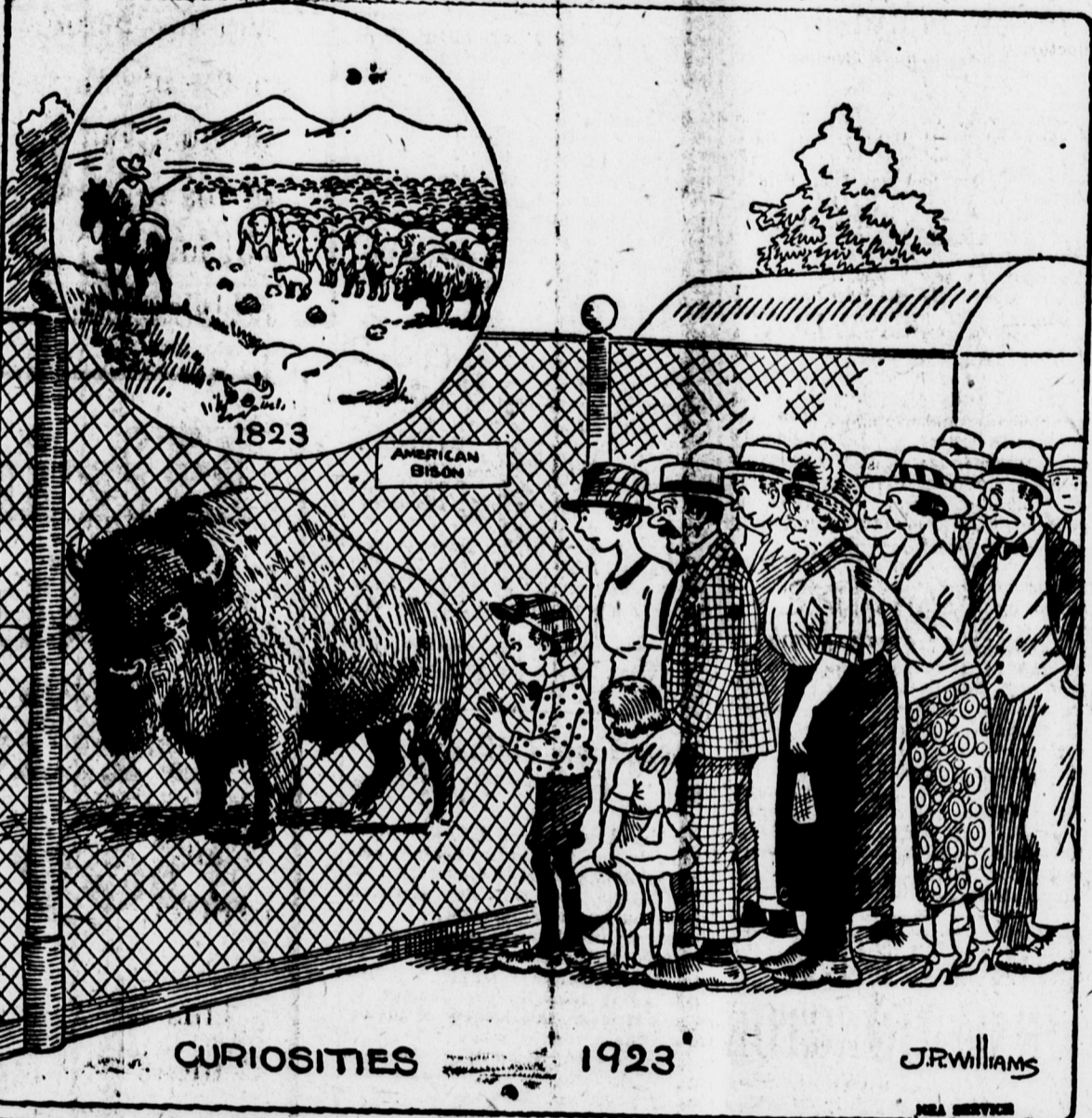
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THE OLD HOME TOWN

BY STANLEY



OUT OUR WAY—By Williams



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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE BY ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given, That that certain mortgage, executed and delivered by Arthur E. Damstrom and Elizabeth E. Damstrom, his wife, Mortgagees, to Wilton National Farm Loan Association, of Wilton, N. D. Mortgage dated the 1st day of May, A. D. nineteen hundred and twenty-two and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Burleigh, and State of North Dakota, on the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1922, and recorded in Book 141 of Mortgages, at page 184, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereinafter described, at the front door of the court house in the City of Bismarck, in the County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., on the 11th day of September, A. D. 1923, to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage on the day of sale. The premises described in said mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same are situated in the County of Burleigh, and State of North Dakota, and described as follows, to-wit:

The North Half (NW 1/4) of section Thirty (30), Township One hundred forty-two (142) Range Eighty (80), and the Southwest Quarter (SW 1/4) of Section twenty-four (24) Township One hundred forty-two (142) Range Eighty-one (81), containing 465 acres more or less according to the U. S. Government survey thereof, and said sum is included in the amount due on such mortgage.

There will be on such mortgage at the date of sale the sum of One thousand Ten Dollars and Eighty-five Cents for principal and interest and taxes paid under the mortgage, besides the costs of foreclosure and sale.

Dated at Napoleon, N. D., this 25th day of July, 1923.

WILTON NATIONAL FARM LOAN ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee.
H. C. BRADLEY, Attorney for Mortgagee, Napoleon, North Dakota. 7-31-8-7-14-21-28-9-4

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE BY ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given that that certain mortgage, executed and delivered by Heinrich Schaefer and Elisabetha Schaefer, his wife, mortgagees to Hertha Landmann, Mortgagee, dated the 2nd day of January 1919 and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds in the County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota on the 24th day of March 1919 in book 138 of mortgages on page 317, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereinafter described at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bismarck, County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., on the 18th day of August 1923 to satisfy the amount due upon such mortgage at the day of sale.

You will further take notice that the mortgagee was obliged and did pay interest on a prior mortgage in the sum of One Hundred Twenty-one and 55-100 (\$121.55) dollars on the 21st day of May 1923 and that said amount will be included in the amount due on this mortgage.

The premises described in said mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same, are those certain premises situated in the County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota and described as follows, to-wit: the North East Quarter (NE 1/4) of Section Twenty-eight (28) Township One Hundred Forty-four (144) North of Range Seventy-seven (77), West of the 5th P. M.

That including interest paid on prior mortgage, there will be due on such mortgage at the date of sale the sum of Nine Hundred Forty-one and 59-100 (\$941.59) dollars.

Hertha Landmann, Mortgagee.
J. A. Hyland, Attorney for Mortgagee, Bismarck, North Dakota. (7-10-17-24-31 8-7-14)

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE BY ADVERTISEMENT

Notice is hereby given that that certain mortgage, executed and delivered by Anna Knudson, widow, mortgagor, to Farmers State Bank, Regan, N. Dak., Mortgagee, dated the 18th day of May, A. D. nineteen hundred and twenty and filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota, on the 20th day of May, A. D. 1920 and recorded in book 162 of Mortgages at page 304, will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in such mortgage and hereinafter described, at the front door of the Court House in the City of Bismarck in the County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., on the 18th day of August 1923, to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage on the day of sale.

The premises described in said mortgage and which will be sold to satisfy the same, are those certain premises situated in the County of Burleigh and State of North Dakota, and described as follows, to-wit: The Northwest Quarter (NW 1/4) Section Two (2) Township One Hundred and Forty-three (143) North of

TRACTORETTE

All-Day Hoeing Job Doesn't Haunt Farm Boys Now



THE NEW TRACTORETTE, SHOWN HERE, CULTIVATES THREE ROWS AT ONCE. A BOY CAN OPERATE IT. AT LEAST THE LAD BELOW DOESN'T LOOK WORRIED. DOES HE?

George F. Grewe of this city, an owner who took part in the show. "The average gardener figures that if he cultivates an acre a day with a wheel hoe he is doing well. I just turn on the motor, steer with my left hand, get a big day's work done and at night I have no blisters on my hands."

Naming an Official Beer Tester, Is Job of World's Oldest Juror

BY MILTON BRONNER.

NEA Service Staff Correspondent. Enfield, England, July 31.—When you kick because you have to spend two weeks doing juror duty, think of the man who has been foreman of a jury for more than 34 years—and isn't through yet!

Joseph Weld is his name, and he is 100 years old.

"But still young," he says, "and spry enough to swing my fellow jurors to my way of thinking."

Because of his age, Weld doesn't serve on an ordinary jury. But he is foreman of the Court Leet, an institution more than 1000 years old, which flourished in the old feudal days. It has passed out of existence in most places, but it still survives in this city of Enfield, close to London, and famous for its rifle factories.

"We have some real duties," says Weld. "But most of them are jokes. We name a beer tester. This dates back to the times when it was incumbent to see that beer was of a certain strength and purity. We name a leather taster. This dates back to the days when Enfield was a center for the tanning industry and when the leather had to be stamped by the leather taster to show that it came up to requirements. Of course, nowadays these testers don't go to the breweries and tanneries. But all the other formalities of the old laws are still observed."

Weld was born in 1823, but looks

of August 1923, to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage on the day of sale.

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J. A. Hyland, Attorney for Mortgagee, Bismarck, N. D. (7-10-17-24-31 8-7-14)

Range Seventy-eight (78) West 5th P. M.

There will be due on such mortgage at the date of sale the sum of Thirteen Hundred and Eighty-nine and 92-100 (\$1,389.92) Dollars.

Farmers State Bank, Regan, N. D., Mortgagee.

J. A. Hyland, Attorney for Mortgagee, Bismarck, N. D. (7-10-17-24-31 8-7-14)

Woman Minister Is Champ Speaker in "Dry" Fight

By NEA Service

Bloomington, Ill., July 31.—The championship for endurance speaking among women may go, practically unchallenged, to Rev. Norma Brown of this city.

Miss Brown, who is only 24, has been delivering speeches daily, especially the last two years—sometimes one, sometimes five, a day. She has visited every state in the union, making her long jumps at night so as not to interfere with her day engagements.

As a member of the Flying Squadron Foundation, she has been touring the country in the interests of better law enforcement.

Right now, naturally, the evasions of the Eighteenth Amendment give her considerable food for discourse. In the west and the middle west, people are overwhelmingly for prohibition," she states, "and they believe the issue is settled. They do not realize how the opposing forces have organized against it. In the east only do I find it considered smart to violate the law."

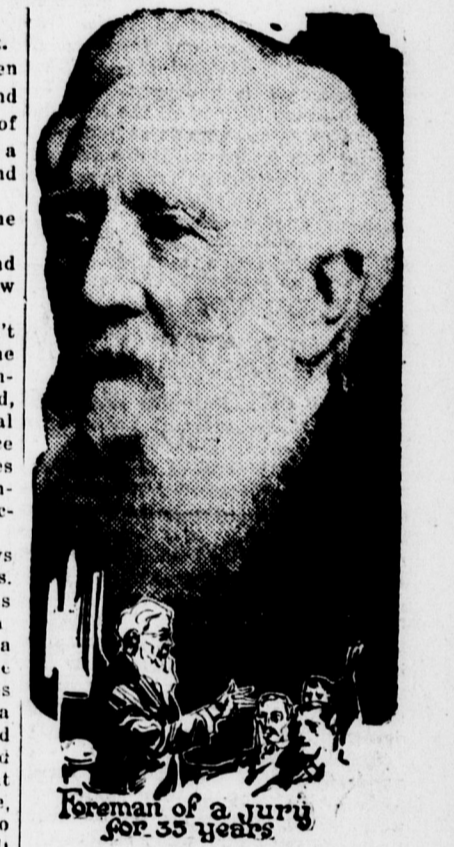
After Politicians
"The Flying Squadron," she goes on, "will gain an entrance to both the Republican and Democratic national convention to have planks inserted that will not only take care of the enforcement of prohibition, but will insure that the measure shall not be repealed."

Miss Brown, who is an ordained minister, preached her first sermon at the age of 15, in Leroy, Ill. Her father, a clergyman, was unable to fill his pulpit on account of illness for him. Her success gave her confidence to substitute after that whenever he wanted her to.

Soon other churches began to ask for the services of the earnest young girl, still in her teens, who could speak so convincingly. She worked her way through college by preaching, and by the time she had her A. B. degree from Eureka College she was well known as a minister.

Likes Her Work
"I believe I have chosen the most fascinating career possible," she says enthusiastically. "I don't feel I am making any sacrifice by devoting my activities to the church, and I enjoy life thoroughly. I don't dance. I find much pleasure in swimming, hiking and tennis. But the real satisfaction comes from my work."

"I haven't fault to find with the much preached at younger generation. I believe it is better and squarer than it is given credit for. "People ought," she admits, "have a little more training in the principles of law and restraint, but it isn't their fault they don't get it."



Foreman of a jury for 35 years

JOSEPH WELD

scarcely 65. He smokes and drinks wine, he says.

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SALESMAN SAM

TO LIKE TO GET A HALF PINT CAN OF GREEN PAINT PLEASE



NOSIRE—MY GONNA PAINT A HOUSE



YOU HEARD ME—I'LL BET YOU \$10 I CAN COVER IT WITH THIS—



THERE YARE—\$10 PLEASE



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS



Complimentary—Maybe



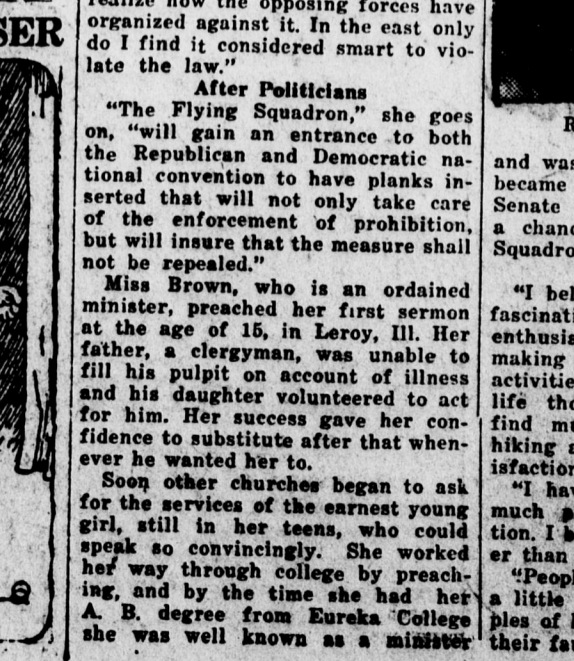
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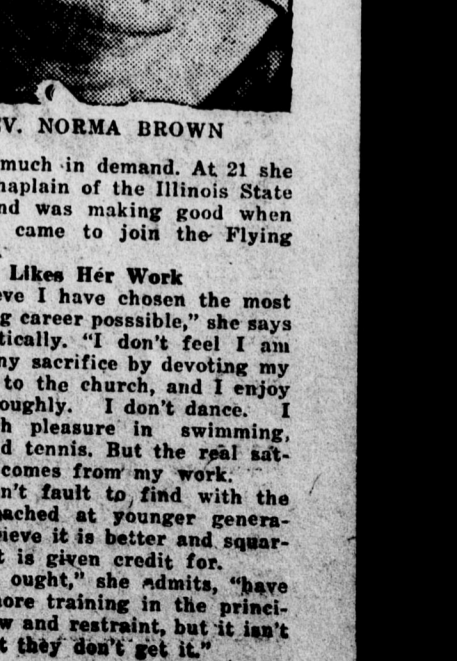
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FINDS WAY TO SEPARATE TWO ELEMENTS

Dr. Harkins Discovers Means of Dividing "Indivisible" Elements

CHICAGO, July 31.—Two chemical elements hitherto considered indivisible have been separated by Dr. William D. Harkins, professor of physical chemistry at the University of Chicago, whose experiments in this field are expected to revolutionize the chemical theory of a century.

Dr. Harkins explained how he tried to separate chlorine, the greenish yellow gas used by the Germans when they first introduced chemical warfare. Chlorine has long been considered one of the 90 odd elements, like carbon, oxygen and hydrogen, which have defied all attempts at division. These so-called elements are present in the earth and in the sun.

"For five years we worked," he said. "We tried all sorts of apparatus and used more than a ton of hydrogen chloride before we succeeded. The gas was diffused through the stems of church warden pipes. These pipes are made of white clay and have stems between 18 and 24 inches long. The lighter parts of the gas passed outward through the stems. The heavier parts remained, and thus we discovered that our so-called element, chlorine, could be separated and another time-honored theory had surrendered. Virtually all physicists and chemists in the United States have accepted the results."

Dr. Harkins then demonstrated that mercury, also considered a fundamental substance, can be broken up. Like the chlorine twins, the parts of mercury look alike but are vastly different in weight, he explained. Dr. Harkins is performing similar experiments with zinc and cadmium to see if they too are mixtures instead of elements.

"These experiments indicate, then, that there probably is only one fundamental element instead of the 90 we have been pinning our faith on all these years," Dr. Harkins said. "That basic element is hydrogen, and, according to my theory, all the so-called elements are compounds of helium or helium with hydrogen. But since helium is built up from hydrogen, then all the elements are intratomic compounds of hydrogen."

R. W. JOHNSON, FORMER DAKOTA PROMOTER, HELD

Denver, Colo., July 31.—Ralph W. Johnson, 25, formerly of Valley City, N. D., who asserts that he was at one time president of the Farmers Livestock corporation at Bismarck, held here on a federal charge of forgery.

Johnson says he is a scion of one of North Dakota's wealthy families, and that he served in the air division of the army almost entirely throughout the World war, being commended for bravery in action. He tells a thrilling story of his rise in the financial world after his return from the war. For three years, he says, he matched wits with manipulators of fast moving stocks and bonds and fortune smiled on him. But he adventured too far along the rosy path and was "fleece."

\$25 Count Called Irony
Broke and in disgrace Johnson says he was forced to leave his family, and he went to Kansas City and from there came to Denver, where he obtained employment with the Colorado Home Builders association. A money order for \$25 passed through his hands and he yielded to the temptation to sign his name to it, according to the charge.

"It seems like irony," Johnson says, "that after putting over deals that ran into six figures I should have been caught on a paltry \$25 count."

Johnson is tall and handsome, and even the prospect of a term at Leavenworth does not greatly dampen his seemingly habitual cheerfulness.

He was arraigned before U. S. Commissioner Foote and bound over for the grand jury. His bond was set at \$1,000.

ASPIRIN

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AFTER GRILLING



Mrs. Walburga Oesterreich, charged in Los Angeles with the murder of her husband, Fred Oesterreich, wealthy manufacturer, shot to death last August, was photographed immediately after detectives had finished grilling her. She maintained her innocence throughout the severe questioning.

UNDERWOOD'S HAT TOSSED INTO RING

Alabama Senator Is Ready to Run For Presidency, He Tells Solons

Montgomery, Ala., July 31.—In an address before the Mobile delegation of the Alabama legislature today Senator Oscar Underwood declared that if the citizery of Alabama requested it "this hat was in the ring for the presidency."

"It is not for me to name Alabama's candidate for President, but if this great state names me as her standard-bearer all the fighting spirit I have will be enlisted to carry Democracy's cause to triumph," he said.

MAKE COPPER FROM CANS

Try New Process in Arizona in Obtaining Copper

Phoenix, Ariz., July 31.—The business of "turning tin cans into copper," as the process is popularly described, is reaching large proportions in Arizona.

The process which actually consists in recovering copper from water through the use of scrap iron, which displaces the copper in solution, is by no means new, but has been extended and improved in recent years so that several hundred carloads of tin cans, as well as large quantities of scrap iron, are now shipped to Arizona mining centers each year.

At most of the mining centers in the state the process is subordinate to main mining operations, being used merely to extract the copper from water seepage pumped from the mines. This water contains a small quantity of copper, less than two-tenths of one percent, in solution. The water is run through sluices where scrap iron has been placed. Part of the iron goes into solution and the copper is deposited in the bottom of the sluices and is collected at intervals. The process is valuable principally on account of the low expense involved.

At Ajo, a mining camp in the southwestern part of the state, the principle has been extended and the scrap iron method is used as one step in the electrolytic process of extracting copper from ore. The process, according to mining men, is not confined to Arizona mines but is also used in Montana and Utah.

FORMER DAKOTAN KILLED
Rugby, N. D., July 31.—Word has been received here that John Bruggen, formerly of Willard, N. D., was instantly killed at his home in Denison, Iowa, by a railway train. No particulars were given. The Bruggen family lived for many years in the eastern end of Pierce county.

FINGERS MANGLED IN COGS
New Salem, N. D., July 31.—The end of his middle finger was torn off and the middle finger badly cut when the 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Al Cochran, Blue Grass, put them in the cogs of a cream separator as the machine was running down and his mother momentarily had left the room.

The causes of corns, callouses, bunions, are eliminated and walking made delightful by wearing Ground Gripper Shoes for men and women properly fitted by Alex Rosen & Bro.

WOULD BUY ALL SURPLUS WHEAT IN U.S.

Revival of U. S. Grain Corporation Is Project Before Meeting Today

Fargo, July 31.—To have congress capitalize the United States Grain Corporation for \$50,000,000, the profit made by that corporation out of wheat in the country, sell the exportable surplus for the best price obtainable through orderly marketing and sell the home consumption at 30 cents above the level in the plan which is to be advanced at the mass meeting of North Dakota farmers and businessmen at Fargo Wednesday morning, according to Congressman George M. Young of Valley City.

It is expected that the delegates to the conference will incorporate these proposals in resolutions which will be forwarded to President Harding.

The Fargo meeting is expected to set the time and place of a national meeting of wheat growers for concerted action on the proposition in the wheat belt.

From indications this morning a large crowd will attend.

LIVESTOCK COMMISSION RATES LOWER

Arbiters in Dispute Hand Down Decision Which Will Save Shippers Money

Washington, July 31.—Schedules of livestock commission rates at Chicago, Kansas City, Omaha, and St. Paul which have been under consideration by arbiters of the packers and stockyards administration of the United States Department of Agriculture will be materially reduced as a result of the report and award made public today. By the new rate it is estimated that producers and shippers will face three quarters of a million dollars a year in commissions.

The rate to be put into effect as promptly as circumstances will permit are the result of a careful study of conditions at individual markets and consideration of auditors' reports of individual commission firms together with information furnished by parties interested.

The new rates for selling cattle at St. Paul and Kansas City as established by this decision are a minimum of \$15 for 20 head or less and a maximum of \$19 for a carload, at the rate of 65 cents per head for St. Paul and Kansas City and 70 cents for Omaha. The Chicago minimum charge of 20 head or less will be \$17 with a maximum of \$21 at the rate of 75 cents a head. The cut represented in these rates for Kansas City, Omaha and St. Paul amount from \$1 to \$2 a car and from 10 to 15 cents a head. New rates also were made for calves, hogs, sheep and mixed stock.

\$15,000 FIRE IN CARRINGTON

Carrington, N. D., July 31.—Fire starting here from an unknown cause at 1:30 this morning did damage estimated at \$15,000 before it was brought under control.

Two livery stables and a harness shop were destroyed by the flames, and the Monarch rooming house was partly burned. Two horses were burned to death.

Only light insurance was reported to be carried on the buildings burned.

PRISONER, AIDED BY PAIS
ESCAPES LA MOURE JAIL
LaMoure, N. D., July 31.—William Barnes, a convict held in the county jail here on the charge of violating prohibition laws, escaped with the aid of accomplices assisting him from the outside and is still at large.

According to information obtained by authorities, two friends of Barnes sawed the jail lock, threatened to shoot any other inmates if they attempted to hinder the delivery, and Barnes and his pals entered a waiting auto, and speeded away.

Sheriff Powers was at once notified, but as yet no trace of Barnes and his companions has been found.

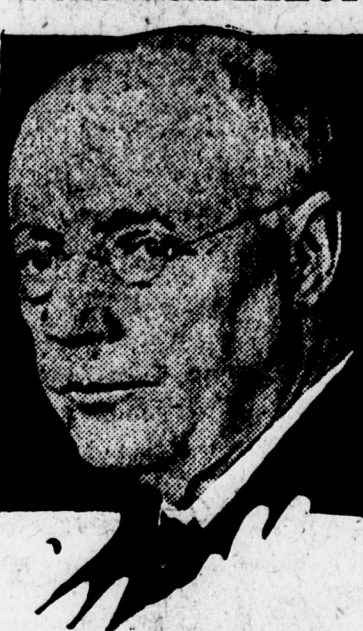
TWICE PROVEN

If you suffer backache, sleepless nights, tired, dull days and distressing urinary disorders, don't experiment. Read this twice-told testimony. It's Bismarck evidence—dubiously proven.

Mrs. N. F. Reynolds, 417 Madison Ave., Bismarck, says: "I suffered from pains through my back and kidneys, and other symptoms of kidney trouble. My kidneys swelled and I found it difficult to get my sleep on at times. After trying several different kidney remedies without getting the least help, I finally got Doan's Kidney Pills at the Benhart Drug Co., and a few convinced me that they were a good remedy. I continued using Doan's until all trace of the trouble had entirely disappeared."

OVER TWELVE YEARS LATER, Mrs. Reynolds said: "I think as highly of Doan's Kidney Pills as when I recommended them before. I have used them on several occasions since when I have taken cold and noticed a slight return of my former trouble and have always obtained prompt relief."

EASY TO DETECT



CAPTAIN THOMAS I. PORTER

By NEA Service
Chicago, July 31.—Take a close look at the paper money in your roll.

Is there a suspicious thickness in the corners of the bill where the amount is printed?

Are the fine lines in the decorative scroll work blurred?

Does the bill seem a bit off color in its shading?

One-Act Show

Yes? Well, it's probably counterfeit or raised, and you ought to blame yourself for taking it. Captain Thomas I. Porter, in charge of the U. S. Secret Service here, who still is on the trail of the money makers in spite of his 77 years, will give you small consolation if you accept bad bills. "Counterfeiters make their money to pass only once," he warns.

"They're satisfied as soon as the bill leaves their hands and they get value for it. So they don't have to make them either permanent or fit for the closest inspection. Their game, you know, is to pass their money in rush hours on outlying storekeepers."

Only a Dub
Captain Parker doesn't give the counterfeit credit for either technical skill or romance. "He's a dub," the captain says. "He hasn't the nerve to go out in the open and rob. And anyone with the skill to operate a camera can make bogus bills."

There's no reason for his existence, no type or psychology to him. Anyone who doesn't want to work, who feels the lure of easy money, is a potential counterfeiter. Most fake money is easy to detect, even by the inexperienced. Be vigilant and you won't take it.

Then the veteran's mind lapsed back along 38 years of his service.

"But it used to be that we ran across skilled workmen in the counterfeit game," he said. "They were harder to detect in the old days."

Captain Porter is on the job every day. That's the way he keeps young.

American Colony Grows in Japan

Tokio, July 31.—Britishers, who formerly had the largest foreign colony in Japan with the exception of the Chinese, now are being given a close run by the Americans.

Returns just issued show that there are 2,562 Britishers resident in Japan and 2,540 Americans. There has also been an increase in the number of Russians, composed largely of political refugees.

There are just under 30,000 foreigners resident in the islands, of whom nearly 20,000 are Chinese.

Dancing! McKenzie Roof Garden—Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. 10c dances. Coolest spot in Bismarck.

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WOULD SAVE HOLY ALTARS

Prelate Wishes to Arouse American Interest in Sacred Places

New York, July 31.—The sacred places of the Holy Land, the places hallowed by the human presence of the Saviour, are in danger of becoming shabby and neglected. That is the word issued by Archbishop Pateleimon, representative of the Patriarchate of Jerusalem, who has come to this country to interest the Christians of America in saving these places and maintaining them in the dignity to which their sacred associations entitle them.

The locations include the Holy Sepulchre, Bethlehem, Nazareth, the Mount of Olives, and others woven into the life of the Lord. They have been maintained in the past by the Patriarchate of Jerusalem, one of the four great branches of the Orthodox Eastern church. But today the Patriarchate faces the rapid exhaustion of its funds as a result of conditions following the world war, and the archbishop is here to co-operate with the American Committee on the Preservation of the Sacred Places in the Holy Land in making good the deficiency.

The committee is under the joint chairmanship of the Rt. Rev. William T. Manning, Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese of New York, and the Rev. Charles S. Macfarland, general secretary of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America.

Brain is the most variable in size and quality of all the parts of the human body.

America's old Reliable
JET-OIL
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Hiring a New Office Boy

THE ideal business organization is one where, when a member of the Board of Directors leaves, there is a general advance all along the line; a new office boy is hired and the machine is complete in every detail.

It is toward such an ideal that the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) is striving.

In the selection of employees great care is taken to get young men who may be developed for positions of responsibility and trust. The results of this policy are to be seen by taking a careful check of the higher officers of this Company. Every one of these men has come up through the ranks, many from the lowliest beginning. They have won preferment by unusual fitness, by sheer ability and mastery of the particular work entrusted to their care.

It is this spirit of pure democracy which has made the organization of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) what it is today—a big, loyal hard-working group of men and women, bound together by mutual consideration, respect and ambition.

The men in the ranks of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) have constantly before them the examples of those now directing the Company's activities. They know that there is an open road ahead, and that for the men who show unusual aptitude in any department of the business; unusual ability to vision the future, or to direct the immediate, there are no limitations placed upon advancement. Such men, taken from the ranks, will be the directing heads a few years hence.

This spirit, permeating every employe from the top to the bottom, keys the entire organization to a pitch of efficiency which enables the Company to render a superior service to 30 million people of the middle west.

Standard Oil Company
(Indiana)
910 S. Michigan Ave., Chicago, Ill.

SHELDON BANKS CONSOLIDATE

Sheldon, N. D., July 31.—The new First National bank, a consolidation of the old First National and the Farmers State bank of Sheldon, opened its doors here yesterday.

The consolidation of the two institutions under one management was business. Under the new arrangement the business will be conducted under the state bank charter.

The first National was organized as a private bank in 1887 by Ed. Pierce and A. O. Runice. In 1890 it was re-organized under the state banking

law by Pierce, Banks and Fowler. In 1903 it took the name First National. In 1908 it absorbed the Ransom County State bank and in 1911 the Commercial State bank.

The official staff of the consolidated interests will be: Chairman, Gus O. Kratt; vicepresident, E. B. Greene; active vicepresident, R. E. Kratt; cashier, T. L. Wiper; assistant cashier, C. E. Omdahl; tellers, Lenore Hollinshead and J. L. Platt.

The directorate will consist of J. E. Benson, A. A. Burgess, Wm. Fracdrick, E. B. Greene, W. C. McConnell, E. P. Phinehart, Gus. O. Kratt, R. E. Patterson, T. L. Wiper and R. E. Kratt.

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